United Air Lines furloughs 599 employes, reduces flights

CHICAGO— United Airlines announced today it is furloughing 599 employes and reducing the number of its daily flights because of the economic slump and U.S. energy problems.

The nation's largest airline reduced its flight schedules three per cent effective Jan. 7 and the layoffs will take effect Jan. 17, said Edward E. Carlson, chairman.

Carlson said the airline reported a 10 per cent drop in revenue passenger miles in December compared with the same month a year ago and expects the travel slowdown to continue through the first half of 1975.

"We are compelled to gear plant-size and employment to service needs and adjust capacity to reflect the changing business environment of 1975," said Carlson. "The necessity for furloughs is deeply regretted and we are making every effort to keep them at an absolute minimum."

The flight reductions total 48 daily departures and will have no appreciable effect on service, Carlson said.

With the reductions, United will fly 1,401 daily departures, which is seven per cent higher than the same period in 1974, a spokesman said.

The addition of wide body aircraft and some modification to older planes increases the number of available passenger seats daily by 11 per cent over the the same period last year, the spokesman added.

A complete list of cities affected by the reductions was not immediately available; but Chicago lost four departures, Minneapolis two and Omaha, Neb., and Detroit one each, the spokesman said.

The furloughs, for an indefinite period, affect ground personnel such as reservation clerks, skycaps and customer service agents. Many of those furloughed are part-time workers, the spokesman said.

He said an undetermined number of the flight reductions and furloughs were due to normal seasonal patterns. Tourist travel usually drops early in the year after the brisk holiday season, he said.

Rain dance in the works

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News in brief

Need Kissinger for peace

WASHINGTON (AP)— Israel believes that another partial peace agreement in the Middle East can be produced only by Secretary of State Henry A. Kissinger's direct intervention with Egyptian President Anwar Sadat, diplomatic sources say.

Even though Israel has indicated a willingness to negotiate the return of strategic Sinai mountain passes, there has been no counteroffer or substantive response from Egypt, the sources said.

Bailar named Postmaster

WASHINGTON (AP)— Benjamin F. Bailar has been named to succeed Elmer T. Klassen, who is quitting as postmaster general after a barrage of criticism about postal service and rates.

"My only reservation in stepping aside is that it may appear I am yielding the battle to the critics of the Postal Service. Nothing could be less justified," Klassen said Wednesday in a statement accompanying his resignation.

The Postal Service's board of governors named Deputy Postmaster General Bailar to succeed Klassen in the $60,000-a-year position.

Oil industry strike looms

DENVER (AP)— An oil industry workers strike will be called by tonight unless a contract settlement with the nation's oil companies is reached, the president of the union says. A. F. Grospiron of the 60,000-member Oil, Chemical and Atomic Workers International Union set the deadline for reaching agreement on a new contract late Wednesday. There was no immediate response from the oil companies, which have refused comment on other stages of the bargaining talks.

Nixon observes birthday

SAN CLEMENTE, Calif. (AP)— Former President Richard M. Nixon, secluded in his oceanside estate once called the Western White House, observes his 62nd birthday today. Rabbi Baruch Korff, among Nixon's staunchest supporters, said in a telephone interview Wednesday that Nixon was "sad at the course of events" that saw him fall from the presidency in the Watergate scandal. Nixon's birthday plans for today were simple, the rabbi said— just "a quiet day with Mrs. Nixon." Sometime during the day his daughters, Julie Eisenhower and Tricia Cox, were expected to call from their East Coast homes to wish him a happy birthday.

Former inmates at home

WASHINGTON (AP)— Freed from prison after serving only part of their terms, John W. Dean III, Jeb Stuart Magruder and Herbert W. Kalmbach are beginning what Dean's wife called "living again." The three men, key figures in the Watergate scandal, headed home— Dean and Kalmbach to California, and Magruder to Bethesda, MD. after being released by U.S. District Court Judge John J. Sirica, who reduced their terms to "time served."

CIA under the gun again

WASHINGTON (AP)— The Justice Department once gave the Central Intelligence Agency names of between 9,000 and 10,000 American dissidents in an effort to increase surveillance of them abroad, a Justice Department official says. James T. Devine, once head of the Interagency Domestic Intelligence Unit in the Justice Department, said he supplied the list in 1970 at the suggestion of Jerris Leonard, then assistant attorney general in charge of the civil rights division.

Find possible cancer virus

WASHINGTON (AP)— National Cancer Institute scientists are studying a virus found in the cultured blood cells of a leukemia patient that they believe may be a long-sought human cancer virus. They are conducting additional tests to seek further support for their conclusions. If it is confirmed that the virus is of human origin, medical researchers would have a new tool to develop accurate methods of early detection of some forms of cancer and perhaps more effective treatments.

Arabians buy U.S. planes

By The Associated Press

Saudi Arabia, the world's biggest oil exporter, announced today it has concluded a $756-million deal to buy "several squadrons" of American jet fighter planes "to consolidate the kingdom's ability to defend its territory."

Railroads resist demands

WASHINGTON (AP)— The nation's railroads, threatened with strikes against five major carriers later this month, say they have no choice but to resist what they say are unreasonable union demands. The railroads responded after the Sheet Metal Workers International Association served formal strike notices on the Union Pacific, Missouri Pacific, Texas Pacific, Baltimore & Ohio and Seaboard Coast Line railroads.

813,600 receive benefits

WASHINGTON (AP)— As President Ford and the House Democratic leadership near completion of their separate anti-recession programs, pessimistic economic reports continue unabated. A record 813,600 per sons filed new claims for unemployment insurance benefits in the week ending Dec. 28. The 60,000-member Oil, Chemical and Atomic Workers International Union said a strike would be called against the nation's oil companies unless agreement on new contracts for 430 local bargaining units is reached.

Insurance crisis for Drs.

WASHINGTON (AP)— The growing problems that physicians encounter when seeking medical malpractice insurance is "a major crisis problem" facing the nation, according to Health, Education and Welfare Secretary Caspar W. Weinberger. Weinberger's comments came at a meeting convened to discuss threatened malpractice policy cancellations and skyrocketing premiums facing physicians as the result of claims against insurance companies.

Mourning the dead

Villagers of the South Lebanese town of Taibeh wail over the body of a man slain after Israeli commandos struck in a pre-dawn raid. At least three persons died in the raid, the second Israeli commando strike in as many days. (AP Wirephoto)

Tax cut proposed

WASHINGTON (AP) — A tax cut principally for low and middle income persons will be pushed to a House vote if possible by early March, the chairman-designate of the House Ways and Means Committee said today.

Rep. Al Ullman, D-Ore., who is in line to head the tax-writing committee, told newsmen he will press for a one-year emergency tax measure "to put revenues back into the spending stream" and so boost the economy.

Longer range changes in the tax laws would be considered later, Ullman said, but some revenue-increasing measures, such as ending the oil depletion allowance, might be included in the emergency package.

Ullman said he would also probably propose some corporate tax relief, such as an increase in the investment credit. Under existing law, most businesses can take 7 per cent of their investment in equipment off their tax bill.

Ullman said he cannot now indicate the extent of the tax cut or the amount that would be saved by an individual. Much will depend, he indicated, on whether some revenue-raising measures will be included in the package or whether these will have to wait for more leisurely consideration.

He said, however, that the individual tax relief would be directed mainly to the lowest incomes and taper off as middle incomes were reached.

"There is no reason to give tax relief to people who would put the money in the bank," Ullman said.

As for the dimensions of the cut, he would say only that he had previously described $5 billion as too little and $30 billion as too much.

Meanwhile, President Ford and the House Democratic leadership neared completion of their separate antirecession programs as pessimistic economic reports continued unabated.

Members of a 10-Democrat House task force, named by Speaker Carl Albert to draft an economic recovery program, returned to work behind closed doors today. The task force is developing recommendations including a tax cut for delivery to Albert next week.

Without disclosing what Ford's proposals may include, White House Press Secretary Ron Nessen quoted Ford as telling the Cabinet Wednesday: "Ours is a good program. It is tough. It is fully defendable. It will give us the restoration of confidence that is essential for recovery."

Nessen quoted Chairman Alan Greenspan of the Council of Economic Advisers as telling the Cabinet Wednesday that the jobless rate won't decline until next year.

Ford's program, which may be announced as early as next week, also reportedly includes a tax cut of undetermined magnitude.

There were these other economic news developments Wednesday: —A record 813,600 persons filed new claims for unemployment insurance benefits in the week ending Dec. 28, the highest one-week total since the program started paying benefits in 1937 during the final years of the Depression, the Labor Department said. New claims filed last month reached more than 2.8 million nationwide.

—The 60,000-member Oil, Chemical and Atomic Workers International Union said a strike would be called against the nation's oil companies unless agreement on new contracts for 430 local bargaining units is reached.

—Strikes beginning Jan. 24 were threatened by the Sheet Metal Workers Union against five railroads: the Union Pacific, the Missouri Pacific, the Texas Pacific, the Baltimore & Ohio and the Seaboard Coast Line.

—If bankruptcy petitions continue at the current rate, there will be a record 231,669 such requests in the current fiscal year ending June 30, according to the administrative office of the United States Courts.

—Layoffs totalling 2,048 workers were announced by the Goodyear Tire & Rubber Co., Firestone Tire and Rubber Co. and the Seiberling Tire and Rubber Co. General Motors Corp. said it was laying off 2,100 more workers and Ford Motor Co. cut back 2,800 additional employes. The Polaroid Corp. said it was deferring salary increases for its nonunion employes. Texas Instruments said it was laying off 9,000 worldwide because of a drop in incoming orders. The General Electric Co. said it would trim 800 jobs at its jet engine plant at Evendale, Ohio. The Westinghouse Electric Corp. said it will lay off 180 workers at its Cathode Ray Tube Division plant at Horseheads, N.Y., Friday.

—Chrysler Corp. Chairman Lynn Townsend called for an immediate tax cut, saying "drastic action must be taken to restore consumer confidence."

Committee votes
$90,000 bridge job okayed

By ROBERT H. NELLIS

The Finance Committee of the Lee County Board today voted to recommend the county pay $90,000 toward the reconstruction of the Peoria Avenue Bridge and to recommend the Highway Safety Traffic Division proposed by Sheriff Ray Nehring be rejected.

These recommendations will be presented at the Tuesday meeting of the board.

Board Chairman Irvin Koch, District 2, noted the amount paid by Dixon taxpayers into the county's Special Bridge Fund for a three-year period is equal to the amount asked that the county pay toward rebuilding this bridge.

Dixon's assessed valuation is about $60 million, the chairman observed, and said extending the five cents levy for the county's Special Bridge Fund by the city's assessment produces $30,000 per year in that fund.

The committee recommendation suggested the county transfer $60,000 from the County Highway Fund to the County Special Bridge Fund and that the borrowed amount be repaid to the highway fund over a three-year period.

The committee met with the Road and Bridge Committee earlier and ascertained there is a balance in the Special Bridge Fund of $30,000 which, added to the $60,000 transferred amount, will provide $90,000 which is one-half of the local share money needed to pay for the project.

The bridge was constructed in 1929 with the city and the county each paying half of the almost $180,000 cost.

Rebuilding the span has been estimated to cost $600,000 and federal funds will pay for 70 per cent of the amount or $420,000, with the remaining portion to be paid by local funds.

The city had asked the county to share half of the remaining amount, $90,000.

Winston McReynolds, Finance Committee chairman, District 3, today told the committees over the past 20 years Dixon taxpayers have paid $560,492.72 in the county's Special Bridge Fund and that he knew of no amount paid from that fund for a bridge in the city.

McReynolds also said State's Atty. Patrick Ward had written a letter in which he stated the county may participate with the city in financing the bridge repairs.

Ronald Brandau, county superintendent of highways, told the committees the Special Bridge Fund gets about $120,000 per year and presently has an uncommitted balance of about $30,000.

Sheriff Nehring at the December meeting of the board had asked permission to apply for a grant to set up a traffic safety division which would require $11,485 from the county and of which he had a budgeted amount of $5,000.

The additional amount of $6,485 must come from the County General Fund.

The program includes the county receiving a squad car from the state and for adding two deputies.

Donald F. Burke, District 3, Finance Committee member, objected to the request, noting it could lock us into a $29,000 annual budget not to include the replacement of equipment in a couple of years.

McReynolds explained, "The program will hire two men and if federal revenue sharing funds play out county taxpayers will have to pick up this cost."

Graham Huffman, District 4, Finance Committee member, observed "The sheriff has said he will transfer two present deputies to the highway safety division and hire two new men as regular deputies.

"What I wonder is, when federal revenue sharing funds are stopped, will we be able to lay off these men, because they may have merit commission status."

James Green, District 4, Finance Committee member, added, "This committee should give the sheriff direction to seek ways to economize the operations of this office and not to continually submit requests for extra expenditures."

Burke said, "The sheriff's office has had rapid expansion and it is time to sit back and take a breather."

Koch reported other board members are of the opinion "It is time to shut off giving the sheriff additional funds because he thinks he can come to the board and get anything he wants."

Burke noted, of the sheriff's $380,000 budget, $200,000 comes from federal revenue sharing, and declared "If federal revenue sharing should be discontinued we will be in big trouble."

County Treasurer Sharon Thompson told the Finance Committee a quarterly federal revenue sharing check of almost $76,000 was received on Monday.

She reported the county has $200,000 in federal revenue sharing funds in a checking account and said she wanted to invest these funds in time deposits.

Mrs. Thompson related Darlene Herzog, city controller, has only $100 in the city's federal revenue sharing funds in a checking account, and the rest of the funds held by the city are invested.

The treasurer also reported $190,000 in county funds have been put in certificates of deposits at 8½ per cent interest on a high-bid basis submitted by the First National Bank of Amboy.

Mrs. Thompson said she checked with a Chicago-area bank and was offered 8⅛ per cent interest. "I guess we are justified in keeping funds in Lee County," she concluded.

McReynolds asked the committee to study whether the county should not establish a policy of setting a certain amount of revenue sharing funds aside for programs for the poor and the aged.

He remarked this category of social service has the highest priority by the federal government, "and I have not seen this board use any such funds for these purposes."

Fire victims in need of clothing

An appeal is being made for clothing for the John Maronde family of Nachusa whose home was destroyed and clothing lost by fire Wednesday.

The Maronde family consists of two girls, ages 5 and 6; a boy, 8 years old; Mrs. Maronde's dress size is 26½ and Maronde's shirt size is large and his waist size is 36.

Any clothing for the Maronde family may be left at the Ed Curren residence in Nachusa; the Dixon Rural Fire Station on Palmyra Avenue, or the John Deere Historic Site in Grand Detour.

Money donation for the Maronde family may be left at the City National Bank and Trust Co.

School board keeps baseball, swimming

By CONNI DETTMAN

Parents and supporters of the Dixon High School Baseball and Swimming teams were assured of the programs' continuance by Board President Jim Dixon, at the Dixon School Board meeting Wednesday night.

Dixon told the group of nearly 50, "We started it and we're going to continue it." He added, "The program is out of the crisis but not the deficit. The board will continue to fund the programs on a year-to-year basis."

Bill Lovas, swimming coach at DHS, told the board the team had recently completed a swim-a-thon to help raise funds for the team. Lovas added, although the funds were going to be used for equipment, part could be used to make up the deficit in the swimming program. He told the board area swimming coaches had encouraged Dixon to continue the program and the members of the DHS team were helping to cut back on expenses.

Dixon said the board did not expect the team to make up the deficit and reassured the group the programs would continue. He added the programs would probably not be too fancy or have the best equipment, but would continue.

Later, Dixon said the board's feeling was against any organization trying to raise money to fund or even start new programs. He said it is hard to say no to a group of enthusiastic people who are trying to raise money to support a program.

The 1974-75 budget was approved by the board. The approval of the budget, coming three months later than usual because of salary settlements, was increased a total of $111,750 for a final budget figure of $5,782,722.

The budget shows a total increase of $274,376 over the 1973-74 budget.

Wilbur Stitzel Jr., business manager for the Dixon School District, told the board hopeful payment of some district funds during the year would prevent a budget deficit at the end of the fiscal year. Stitzel added the district would not be able to pay the deficit until taxes were received from the recently passed referendum.

Merrill Hughes, assistant superintendent of curriculum, presented a report of the Comprehensive Test of Basic Skills test scores for 1974.

The tests were taken the third week in September by all students in the third through eighth grades.

Hughes told the board, before presenting a graph on each grade level, the tests were one means to evaluate the effectiveness of instruction in the school district. He added, however, there are many factors which affect the quality of instruction and the student's performance on the tests.

Some of the influencing factors include the attendance record of students and teachers, home environment of the students, past educational experiences of the students, mental and emotional health of the students, students' and teachers' attitudes toward the tests and the curriculum material being used.

The scores of the Dixon students at each of the schools were then compared to the national percentile. The percentile of the national level for the CTBS was 50.

Grade three students showed their high percentile was in reading comprehension, with a 53 percentile, and their lowest average, of 43, in mechanics of language and mathematical computation. Fourth grade students excelled with a 57 percentile in reading vocabulary, with a low 43 percentile in mathematical computation. Grade five students had their highest percentile in reading vocabulary and graphs, while their lowest percentile, of 38, was in mathematical computation.

Sixth grade students excelled in graphs and mathematical concepts, with a 55 and 54 percentile, respectively, but scored the lowest percentile, of 42, in mathematical computation. Grade seven students scored their highest in spelling and reading vocabulary, with a 52 percentile, and their lowest percentile, of 36, in mathematical computation. Eighth grade students showed a high percentile in graphs, at 52, and the low percentile of 36 in mathematical computation.

The total average percentiles for each grade for the overall tests were reported as: grade three, 51; grade four, 54; grade five, 40; grade six, 55; grade seven, 51; and grade eight, 52. Hughes said these figures showed the Dixon district students rated about average on the national level.

Board members discussed the amended board policy for the use of school facilities. After discussing the no-fee activities and the fees for activities which charge admission, the board decided to amend the policy to add a section concerning fee for activities which do not charge admission. No formal action was taken on the board policy.

A recommendation for Title III-NDEA funds was approved. The approved project for $7,124.32 will reimburse the Dixon school for 50 per cent of the total project or about $3,562.16. The Title III funds were used in the Industrial Education Department at Dixon High School.

Board members later approved a recommendation for Title II-ESEA projects. This project containing funds of $7,158 is to be used for the improvement of library and audio-visual resources.

In final action, the board approved the dismissal of kindergarten classes Feb. 4 and 5 for parent-teacher conferences.

—approved a recommendation to allow an additional foreign language teacher to act as a chaperone for the spring student trip to Mexico.

—read a letter from the Whiteside Area Vocational Center approving the participation of the Dixon School District in the WAVC programs.

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History soon to demand accounting

It has been easy this past year to foretell doom. But it is no cause for joy to have been proved right: to have watched recession and perhaps something worse coming to pass. The danger is that such prophecies fulfill themselves, they darken that very gloom in whose shadow slump is fostered and spawns. But the press should not repent its pessimism.

Our purpose has been to conserve and reconstruct what we see crumbling, not to pull it down—to analyze first in order the better to prescribe. That has needed to be done. Rarely in our lifetime has there been a greater need than now for those people in society—dare one any longer use the word leaders?—to take their courage, and our welfare, in their hands.

Most of these people are democratically elected, or, at least in the West, they are appointed on merit and by consent. There lies the snag. One flaw in democracy is that its practitioners look to the next election, the next appointment, not beyond.

A second flaw is that Western states now command so large a share of their citizens' wealth that they have at their command the weapons needed to win that next election: to put it crudely, they can print money in time for the next ballot.

From this unhappy pair of flaws in Western society has recently been born the new post-Keynesian politics. This consists of the politics - of - putting - off - the - evil - day. Buy off this interest, buy off that, and be sure that those being bought off (trade unions and industries, for example) will soon be back, ready to be bought off again.

This politics - of - putting - off - the - evil - day is evident in every Western democracy, even nowadays in that paragon, West Germany. In Britain it has simply been writ large. The government borrowing requirement in Britain this year, for instance, is $14.4 billion. It is a rather extraordinary thought that if America were to run a government spending deficit of equivalent size in its own much larger economy, it would amount to $126 billion.

Enjoy your turkey as you imagine that; one-tenth of what you are eating, the drumstick perhaps, has been borrowed.

Easy to describe, but who will change it? There are the obvious targets for criticism and the less obvious ones. It is not enough, on the eve of the last quarter century of the second millennium, only to flail away at the obvious ones—the trade unions, the Arabs, the Persians who, forgive them all father, know not what they do.

For these people know very well what they do, and will go on doing it until those who wish to conserve persuade them to do otherwise.

When did the businessmen who rightly attack the monopoly practices of unions last look at their own incompetence? The illness that afflicts Britain and will, with only slight delay, afflict the rest of the West in 1975 can be cured only if the wise international physicians and lecturers of the world heal and learn from themselves.

Take, for example, the oil-price and oil-money problem that now threatens to break the Western camel's back. Yes, it is true that this has come about because the Arabs and others have learned that they can make money from under their sand. But the heart of that oil cartel lies in the politics of Jerusalem as much as it does in the sand. And that tiny state, Israel, a David long and justly admired, can now, if it wishes, determine its own future (and to a large extent that of its Western patrons and friends) by practicing a moderation and magnanimity which has been too seldom apparent since the watershed year of 1967.

Israel has been exploring the ground for compromise with emissaries of the Palestine Liberation Organization Paris. It will insist, and rightly, that any eventual solution recognizes permanently two Palestinian states, the Israeli one as well as the Arab. Where Israel will go wrong is if it uses a momentary military advantage to strike without good reason at its foes in early 1975.

At best that might buy it three years more of existence, not the hundreds of years that it will certainly risk. For in the long run David has sympathy from his friends, Samson not much.

What compels Israel to look such a short way ahead is the muddle of its own democratic politics. The same muddle afflicts that second candidate for self-healing, the Western alliance itself. Its enemy for the moment is less the tank and submarine power of Leonid Brezhnev than the horror of approaching recession. One way out of this recession, by reflation, makes popular short-term politics. And in several countries, notably America and Germany, reflation is desperately required. But a reasoned avoidance of protectionism when under fire, the stringency of sharing national wealth and discouraging waste, those other necessary things are far less popular.

They have been made unpopular because of the license that full employment and peace have given this past quarter-century to right and left in society, to hawk and dove alike. In the politics - of - putting - off - the - evil - day it has been the rhetoric of the extremes that has flourished—the unwelcome extremes, sadly, of society's flanks.

The extreme center, "a body that holds very moderate views, and is vehemently opposed to a compromise being struck on any one of them," has been lost. In the politics of Jerusalem and of NATO's capitals it must be quickly refound.

"Oh goody! It's twins!"

Bankers fear flood of petrodollars

By MARJORIE DEANE

(Editor's Note: A. W. Clausen, president of the Bank of America since 1969, is also president of the Federal Advisory Council, a watchdog organization of commercial bankers.)

Does Bank of America say that it cannot go on channelling petrodollars to finance industrial countries' balance of payments deficits? And if so, will you explain why?

What is being said, and what I myself believe, is that private financial institutions cannot do the total job of recycling the funds being gathered by the surplus nations, the Middle East nations in particular. Admittedly, so far the vast bulk of this recycling has been done by them, and only a small portion on a government-to-government basis and through the $3 billion Witteveen facility in the IMF.

But as surplus funds are being gathered in greater and greater quantity, we need more government-to-government placement of surplus funds, direct borrowings by governments (including the United States) as well as the private financial institutions. So it is not a matter of either-or.

But great pressure is being put on private financial institutions now because of the lack of alternatives in a capacity-short world: the equity markets generally throughout the world are in a dismal state of disarray because of high inflation, and the long-term bond markets are not an attractive alternative. So both the loan obligations and deposits of private financial institutions have grown very rapidly. You cannot extrapolate those lines indefinitely.

Have you become exceedingly cautious about lending, say, to Italian or British companies because of payments deficits? Is there a black list?

Since the beginning of the banking industry, our basic job has been as an intermediary of financial resources and as an assessor of risk. Lots of things go into risk assessment, but I would be less than candid if I said that those nations that have very severe balance of payments deficits and high rates of inflation and internal problems, be they political or economic (and I might say that largely today the problems are political and not economic), are the most attractive risks.

I said that I believe the principal problems to date are not economic but political. If we are capable of predicting what is going to happen in an economic sense, and if we don't like what we see, there are some known tools and vehicles that we can use to avoid or to mitigate against that Mack truck that is coming down the road to smash us. What we'd like is the political courage to put those economic antidotes into effect.

I may realize that we have got to save more, consume less and spend less, but, if I am running for office this time, none of these is going to get me elected.

Or, if I do these things, unemployment is going to rise, and that's unpopular. Or, since I represent a housing region or whatever, if I do certain things, my particular industry, or where most of my constituents reside, is going to be adversely affected. These are the political interplays that exist everywhere. Everyone has constituents—labor, unions, government and even private enterprise.

Do you feel the need sometimes to put corporate and social responsibilities before the maximization of profits?

I think the problem is to balance profit with growth and serving clients. The market place will always be served; that's in page one of my primer. If the banking fraternity doesn't do it, then the market would be served by other financial institutions, the commercial paper market, savings and loans, credit unions, and so on. So it's balancing strong profit and fair return—which is what our shareholders desire—with what customers want. You really can't serve your customers unless you are profitable and the more profitable you are, the better you can serve your customers.

You doubtless think recent reports that the American banking system is creaking are exaggerated.

In times like this, when financial waters are troubled, the quality of management and assets becomes crucial. Given the lack of alternatives in the market place, given the unprecedented high worldwide inflation, given the compounding of the tripling of oil prices last year, and the fact that private financial institutions have been the principal mediator to date in the transfer of funds from surplus to deficit countries, financial institutions are bound to be under pressure.

But basically the banks are tremendously strong. And we are intermediating; we are doing a responsible job, and, I might say, we are doing it damned efficiently.

Take it from Here

REFLECTIONS— We often make a point by observing the giant-sized dinosaurs became extinct because they did not have the faculty of rationality which is necessary to be adaptable to changing circumstances.

It is true these primitive monsters were stupid. Stegosaurus weighed 15 tons but had a brain which tipped the scales by only a few ounces. The dinosaur's activities were contolled by glands rather than by the brain.

They have been called automatons or biological robots.

Homo sapiens, man, on the other hand, has a brain which is one sixtieth of the size of his body while the dreaded Brontosaurus' brain was only one hundred-thousandth of the size of its body.

One thing we might reflect upon is our existence is quite removed from the natural world by a variety of modifications made to protect ourselves from the blind reactions of Mother Nature.

Because of these modifications we are more comfortable, better fed, healthier and are experiencing added longevity.

Also as a by-product of these modifications which insulate us from Mother Nature and her ravages, we have discovered nuclear fission, which can literally tap the virtually unlimited resources of the sun, which man worshipped before the Hebrew god, Yahweh, was introduced to man's theological ideas.

The potential of nuclear fission could propel man to an unprecedented golden age of civilization.

The unhappy fact is, however, Enrico Fermi, the Italian genius, and a team of physicists first cracked the atom in 1942 under the seats of Stagg Field on the campus of the University of Chicago and now, 36 years after that date, the answer is not in whether this seminal feat of man will loft us to a higher stage of humanity or will be the force which we will use to destroy ourselves.

The biological robot dinosaurs' existence span has been called a biological success by University of Iowa geologist Holmes Semken because they survived from 150 million to 200 million years and for a good part of that time were the dominant form of animal life.

Homo sapiens identifiable by his cultural development showing the presence of his greater reasoning power has been around for about 50,000 years, according to scientists.

Java Man is said to have lived about one million years ago and his skeletal remains resemble that of primitive man.

Another more recent ancestor of modern man, Pekin Man, lived about 500,000 years ago, according to geologists.

The farthest time ago speculations by scientists of homo sapiens existence on this earth is one hundred-fiftieth to two hundredth of the time dinosaurs lived on this planet.

Modern man may be dated to 50,000 years ago, but he began to develop civilization as we know it some 6,000 years ago when he started to use a written language.

None will contradict the opinion man and the dinosaur are on opposite poles in the abilities each possess to maximize his existence.

It just may be there is too little of the dinosaur in modern man, and enough potential ability possessed by the upright mammal for him to literally make his own environment to the extent he cannot control it and which may become his Frankenstein monster which will destroy him.

In fact, we suspect the Frankenstein myth carries the same warning.

We have seen another depiction of horrible monsters which are a threat to man.

These come to us via cinemas and TV movies which show the spectacle of hordes of giant insects overrunning the earth.

Ants, mosquitos and dragonflies which TV commercials show being zapped in 30 seconds and in the cinema treatment develop an immunity to man's aerosol arsenal and in fact from the poison ingested grow visibly to huge grossly menacing monsters.

This display of horror also probably is an outgrowth of fears of something going wrong in a man-made environment establishing an irreversible condition which will lead to the extinction of man.

If it brings any comfort, University of Iowa zoologist Barbara Stay believes the probability of giant insects evolving in real life is "just about zero."

She formed her ideas from extensive studies of insects and the largest species she knows of is a six-inch Australian cockroach and a slightly larger tropical dragonfly.

R. H. N.

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"I'm glad you like it — this is my first dress!"

Representing the establishment

By JOHN F. McMANUS

BELMONT, Mass.— Professor John Kenneth Galbraith has said of the New York-based Council on Foreign Relations (CFR) that "it is as much a part of the ruling establishment" as the State Department. Had he wished to, Mr. Galbraith, himself a member of the CFR, could have stated that the CFR is as much the ruling Establishment as any organization, public or private, in the United States.

Incorporated in 1921, the CFR has always said of itself that it is merely a study group. But its purpose, according to critics and even some friends, has included more than just high-level studies of foreign affairs. Close observers of the CFR see it as a major element in the continuing drive to subvert the independence of the United States in favor of an all-powerful one-world socialist government. Their view gains credibility from the fact that such a goal was the professed lifelong ambition of CFR founder and architect Edward M. House, President Wilson's sponsor and chief advisor.

Although many Americans know that there is an "establishment" running our country, most have never heard of the CFR. And while the names of David Rockefeller (CFR board chairman) and many more of the CFR's 1625 members are well-known as opinion molders and men of influence, their membership in the organization has been kept quiet. A roster of the CFR at any time in the past 40 years, however, has always been the equivalent of a Who's Who in the Establishment.

Columnists, editors, financiers, publishers, educators, corporation heads, politicians, cabinet officials, military officers, and even Presidents have been or are members of the CFR. Yet little note of their association has ever been made. (CFR-member Presidents have included Hoover, Eisenhower, Kennedy, and Nixon. CFR- member presidential candidates have included Willkie, Dewey, Stevenson, Humphrey, and McGovern.)

In 1939, the CFR entered into an official alliance with the U.S. Department of State, a relationship which has continued to this day. Members of the CFR have actually been the key formulators of disastrous U.S. policies involving "containment" of Communism, no-win wars, foreign aid, disarmament, detente, and subservience to the United Nations.

Personal ambitions and the lures of flattery being what they are, it would be wrong to ascribe a conscious desire to subvert national sovereignty to all CFR members. But it certainly is not unreasonable to question how any individual can swear loyalty to our country while retaining membership in a group whose consistent and obvious purpose is to sacrifice the independence of the United States on the altar of world government.

In its 1974 Annual Report, the Council on Foreign Relations boasted that 175 of its members are U.S. Government officials. Names of Congressmen, ambassadors, and cabinet officers in the membership roster confirm the accuracy of the boast. The list also contains the names of 17 U.S. Senators and the new President of the Senate, Vice President Nelson A. Rockefeller.

The United States Senate has been called "the world's most exclusive club." With such heavy CFR influence, it can safely be said that the ruling Establishment is well represented in the "club." The question we raise is, Who represents the American people?

The 17 U.S. Senators who presently hold membership in the Council on Foreign Relations are:

Baker (R-Tenn.), Bayh (D-Ind.), Bentsen (D-Tex.), Brooke (R-Mass.), Case (R-N.J.), Culver (D-Iowa), Javits (R-N.Y.), Mathias (R-Md.), McGee (D-Wyo.), McGovern (D-S.D.), Mondale (D-Minn.), Muskie (D-Me.), Pell (D-R.I.), Ribicoff (D-Conn.), Roth (R-Del.), Stevenson (D-Ill.), and Symington (D-Mo.).

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Things Dixon talked about

10 YEARS AGO

The Dixon Duke wrestlers take to the road this weekend for Friday and Saturday meets. On Friday the local grapplers travel to Sterling to take on the Warriors. On Saturday the Dukes go to Rock Falls for a triangular at 1 p.m.

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Members of KSB Hospital Auxiliary volunteer services coordinating committee will meet at 1:15 p.m. Tuesday in the hospital conference room.

50 YEARS AGO

Dixonites will have an opportunity to observe an almost total eclipse of the sun on the morning of Jan. 24. So complete will be the eclipse, viewed in this vicinity, that only one-twentieth of the sun's surface will be visible, and only one four-hundredth of its usual light will be given out.

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The City Council at its regular weekly meeting last evening was in session but a brief period. The council passed the regular monthly payroll amounting to $6,923.47, and adjourned.

SHORT RIBS
by Frank Hill

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Today in History

By The Associated Press

Today is Thursday, Jan. 9, the ninth day of 1975. There are 356 days left in the year.

Today's highlight in history:

In 1945, during the Pacific War, American forces invaded the Japanese-held island of Luzon in the Philippines.

On this date —

In 1719, France declared war on Spain.

In 1788, Connecticut became the fifth state to ratify the U.S. Constitution.

In 1861, Mississippi seceded from the Union.

In 1919' Grand Duchess Charlotte ascended the throne in Luxembourg.

In 1942, Japanese reinforcements were pouring into the Philippines at the beginning of the Pacific War.

In 1969, it was disclosed that the jobless rate in the U.S. in 1968 had dropped to just above three and one-half per cent — the lowest unemployment in 15 years.

Ten years ago: It was estimated that more than 500 persons suspected of being rebels had been executed by Congo government forces in Stanleyville in the six weeks since the city was retaken.

Five years ago: Paris officials said France had agreed to sell Mirage military jets to the revolutionary regime in Libya.

One year ago: President Nixon invited leaders of eight countries to a conference in Washington to try to deal with the world energy crisis.

Today's birthdays: Former President Nixon is 62 years old. Singer Joan Baez is 34. The coach of the Green Bay Packers, Bart Starr, is 41.

Thought for today: Ask the young. They know everything. — Chinese proverb.

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Answer to Previous Puzzle

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24 Art (Latin)
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36 Click beetle
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41 Take food
42 Male sheep
44 Denomination
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54 Cherished
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57 Hindu queen
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6 Standards of perfection
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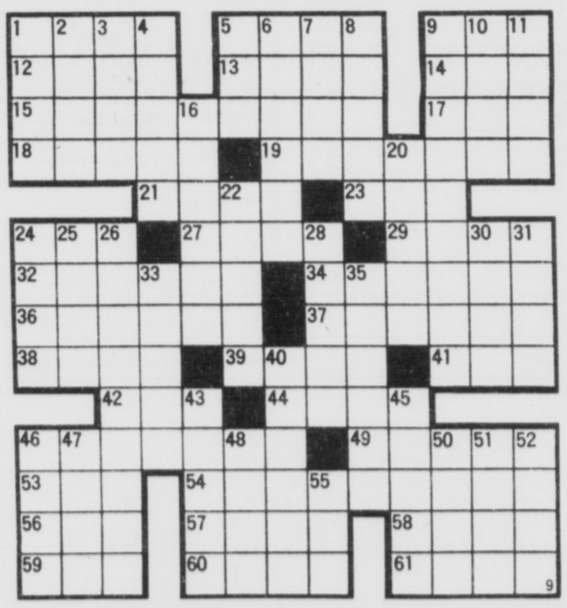

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NEW MARKET, Md. (AP) — Thirty-six years and 5,000 hours later, Dr. John V. Atanasoff says he is still working on his lifetime dream: a universal alphabet.

Atanasoff, 71, has developed an alphabetic system which resembles Braille, the raised dots read by the blind. He says his system can be used to transcribe English or Russian just as easily as Japanese or French.

Atanasoff says his new alphabet drastically reduces the time necessary to learn to read and write and would at least double reading speed.

Atanasoff is not secretive about his system which is based on phonetic spelling and uses 35 symbols for transcribing English. The new system has been designed by its inventor to be scanned by electronic readers and requires only one-third the amount of space as the standard alphabet.

But Atanasoff and his wife, Alice, say that perfecting the system may take decades with no guarantee that it might ever be adopted by anyone.

Indeed, the retired theoretical physicist said: "I think my chances are damn poor, don't you?" Nevertheless, he says he continues to work on the project he started in 1939 so that someone may be able to pick up where he leaves off.

Atanasoff designed a computer for his alphabet in 1939 while he was an associate professor of physics and mathematics at Iowa State College in Ames, Iowa. He never patented the device and two other men were credited with its creation until a federal court ruled last year that the computer's father was Atanasoff.

FUNNY BUSINESS

By Roger Bollen

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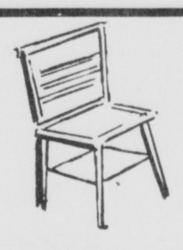
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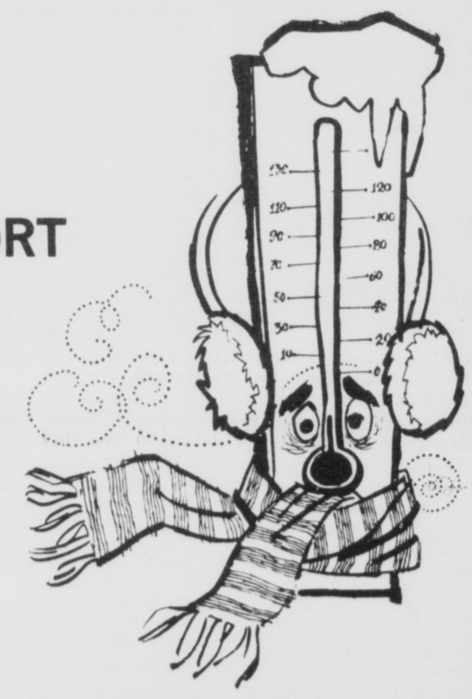

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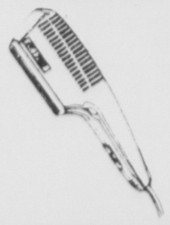

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Bernice Bede Osol

For Friday, Jan. 10, 1975

ARIES (March 21-April 19) Your afternoon will be more interesting than the earlier part of the day. Something of personal pride will be achieved.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) A solution you're seeking for a problem confronting you will come like a bolt out of the blue. Don't sit on the remedy.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) A service you'll render spontaneously will make a favorable impression. Later, you'll be repaid uniquely.

CANCER (June 21-July 22) You need a little change of pace now to freshen your outlook. Do something on the spur of the moment that's fun.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) Anything you tackle today of a creative nature you'll handle in stride. What's more, you'll inspire your co-workers.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) Something promising and speculative will capture your attention over the next few days. Proceed cautiously.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23) This is a good day to get things finalized. Clean-up situations so that next week there are no loose ends.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 22) Don't hesitate to discard an unworkable plan if a better idea comes to mind, provided it doesn't cost anything out-of-pocket.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23-Dec. 21) You'll manage business and commercial matters much more competently today than tomorrow. Stay on top of things.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) You'll be more ambitious later in the day than in the a.m. You'll also get your best ideas in the morning.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 19) Try not to talk to too many people of your plans in advance. If you do, suggested changes will stall your efforts.

PISCES (Feb. 20-March 20) One you'll associate with is very sincere about helping you advance your interests. He'll prove it by acting on your behalf.

your birthday

Jan. 10, 1975

Your ambitions will be furthered faster this year. You'll make more adventuresome moves than in the past. Also you'll have more competent allies.

. . . . . for and about women

Foley-Lopez marriage ceremony

STERLING — Miss Lois Foley, daughter of Mrs. Victoria Foley, Rt. 2, Harmon, became the bride of Alfred Lopez, son of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred S. Lopez, Rock Falls, Dec. 14 in St. Mary's Catholic Church, Sterling.

The double-ring wedding was performed at 11 a.m. by the Rev. William Knott before an altar flanked by twin arrangements of white gladioli in brass pedestal containers.

Musicians

Organ accompaniment for vocal selections by Frank Klocke was provided by Mrs. Robert Fecht.

Escorted to the altar by Eugene Kaecker, a family friend, the bride was attired in a floor-length gown of white polyester organza over satin. The gown's bell skirt, accented by a hemline ruffle of Alencon lace and a sweep train, was topped by a molded bodice designed with bishop sleeves ending in lace cuffs and a Sabrina neckline edged with crystal-embroidered lace. A bandeau held her chapel-length mantilla of illusion bordered with lace, and the bouquet she carried combined red and white Sweetheart roses, white Elegance carnations, English ivy and bristol fairy.

Miss Susan Stone was the bride's maid of honor, and serving as attendants were Mrs. Lorraine Fell, sister of the bride; the bridegroom's sister, Miss Olivia Lopez; Mrs. Mary Pat Fitzgerald and Mrs. Sandy Cushing.

Their identical polyester gowns fashioned with cut-away sleeveless bodices and high necklines, were complemented by hooded capelets trimmed with marabou, and they carried marabou muffs with attached red roses.

Participating as ceremonial flower girls were Christie Trevino and Laura Garza.

Philip Baeza attended Mr. Lopez as best man, and serving as groomsmen were Eloy Zuniga, Gary Jones, Jeff Whitver and Timothy Cantrell. Ushering was done by the bride's brother, Leo Foley Jr., and Steven Walls; acting as mass servers were James Stone, Walnut, and David Baumgart, Sterling, and participating as ringbearer was Terry Mendoza.

The service was followed by a dinner-dance and reception at Emerald Hill Country Club for approximately 270 guests. Music was provided by the "Bliss," and acting as hosts were the bride's brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. LaVerne Cook, and Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Welker, the bridegroom's brother-in-law and sister.

A tiered wedding cake, flanked by heart-shaped cakes, was centered by a fountain and was topped by clusters of red roses and baby's breath. The cake, encircled at the base by a garland of white flowers and fern sprays, was served by Mrs. Sue Milligan and Miss Brooke Smith, and in charge of the gift table were Miss Donna Starr, Miss Nancy Jo Friday and Miss Terry Pratt. Guests were registered by the bride's sister-in-law, Mrs. Paula Foley.

To Florida

Since their wedding trip to Florida, the newlyweds have been residing in Phoenix, Ariz.

The bride, a 1972 graduate of Walnut High School, completed the Practical Nursing program at Sauk Valley College in 1973. Her husband graduated in 1972 from Rock Falls High School, and is presently studying law at Arizona State University.

MR. AND MRS. ALFRED LOPEZ

Trick in hand for birds

By Oswald & James Jacoby

A bird in the hand is known to be worth two in the bush, but a trick in the hand is not always worth even one.

West's queen of diamonds held the first trick and he continued the suit. South ruffed, cashed his ace of spades, led a spade to dummy's king, played a low club and finessed his queen.

West couldn't wait to pounce on that trick with his king. After all, a bird in the hand, etc. He pounced and that was his side's last trick.

"Wouldn't I have looked silly if South had started with ace-queen doubleton in clubs instead of ace-queen-small?" said West.

He sure would have looked silly, but if South had been dealt just two clubs he probably would have led out the ace and then the queen before using dummy's king of spades. Furthermore, East had played the eight of clubs and South could have been sure that eight was either a singleton (in which case no defense would work), or that East was starting a high-low echo and that king of clubs trick would never get away. 9

NORTH 9
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♥ J 10 7
♦ K 7 2
♣ J 9 7 4 3

WEST
♠ 8 6 5
♥ 6 5 2
♦ Q J 10 5
♣ K 10 2

EAST
♠ 7 2
♥ K Q 9 4
♦ A 9 8 6 3
♣ 8 5

SOUTH
♠ A Q J 10 9 4
♥ A 8 3
♦ 4
♣ A Q 6

Neither vulnerable

West	North	East	South
			1 ♠
Pass	1 N.T.	Pass	4 ♠
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Opening lead—Q ♦

Dear Ann

by Ann Landers

Dear Ann Landers: I have some practical advice to the woman whose husband is eating himself to death. Yours was fine— as far as it went. Here's mine:

(1) If you have never worked and have no marketable skills, go back to school NOW, while he is around and still able to pay for it.

(2) If you DO have marketable skills, get them in shape if you are a little rusty. You'll probably want (or need) to go back to work.

(3) Make sure he has all his insurance policies paid up and ask him to tell you all you will need to know if he should keel over suddenly from a heart attack. Most women are in a state of abysmal ignorance when it comes to their husband's financial affairs. They must then depend on attorneys who discover the estate was left in an awful mess. Sometimes there isn't even a valid will. This can mean real trouble as well as horrendous financial losses.

(4) If you don't already know, ask your husband to show you how to change a fuse, how to start the lawnmower, and how to handle balky plumbing. These jobs are very simple— when you know how.

(5) No sex. You don't want to be responsible for his heart attack. And in your situation, you need another baby like you need a case of smallpox.

If you follow my advice you will probably damage his male ego, but you might shock him into taking off those killer pounds. You might also give him additional years so he can enjoy his golden wedding anniversary— and his grandchildren.— Farsighted In Florida

Dear Farsighted: Thanks for an excellent letter. I go along with everything you said— except Point Five.

Sex will not bring on a heart attack— even in the obese. Some men are stricken during sex, but the attack was due anyway.

A denial of intimacy to a fat husband is a punitive act and will not encourage him to lose weight. It will merely provide him with a perfect excuse to seek satisfaction elsewhere.

Dear Ann Landers: I am sure you've already heard more than you want to from women who don't iron their bedsheets and towels, but please, can I have the last word?

In your answer you said, "We iron ours." Anybody with half a working brain knows that a family of two doesn't need more than one person to do the ironing. It came through plenty clear that you have a maid. What you SHOULD have said was, she irons YOURS. I'm signing myself— Reading Between The Lines

Dear Friend: You might be reading "between the lines" but you are obviously missing the whole column from time to time. I straightened out that nightmare several days ago— put on sackcloth and ashes and confessed that I hadn't done any ironing for 25 years, which was why my answer was a bummer. I also offered to eat a generous slice of crow. Do you think now I should offer to drink a cup of hemlock? Please rush your answer. I'm waiting.

Confidential to Want To Stand On My Own Two Feet: It's awfully hard to do when one foot is in your mouth. Try thinking before you speak.

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Meeting for Nachusa Unit

Mrs. Marcus Gonnerman entertained the Nachusa Homemakers Extension Unit Tuesday when Mrs. Robert Wolf, first vice chairman, presided.

Roll call was answered by 19 unit members, and introduced as guests were Miss Margaret Gonnerman and Mrs. Larry Crawford and son, Timothy.

The Voluntary Action report form was completed, and Mrs. Gonnerman reviewed the book, "Spirit of '76" written by Eric Sloan.

Mrs. Ivan Wakeley and Mrs. Roger Missman served samples of food they prepared during a major lesson on "Low-Cost Protein Foods," and each member listed suggestions for unit programs and fund-raising activities.

Mrs. John Spangler and Mrs. Missman will represent the unit at a party for residents of the Lee County Nursing Home Feb. 7, and the next meeting was planned for Feb. 4 with Mrs. Alice Hoban.

Card party

Members of the Palmyra Grange have scheduled a card party for 8 p.m. Saturday in the Palmyra Grange Hall when games of 500 and pinochle will be played.

Social Calendar

Tonight

13th District, Illinois Nurses Association, Emerald Hill Country Club, 6 p.m.

Dixon Chapter, Parents Without Partners, Clarence Cole, Rock Falls, 6:30 p.m.

Officers of Dorothy Chapter, OES, Jean Stinson residence, Nelson, 7:30 p.m.

St. Paul Lutheran Church Rachel Circle, Mrs. Millard Hicks, 7:30 p.m.

Chapter KM, PEO Sisterhood, Mrs. Vernon Brickley, 7:45 p.m.

St. Luke's Episcopal Church St. Margaret's Guild, church Eells Room, 7:45 p.m.

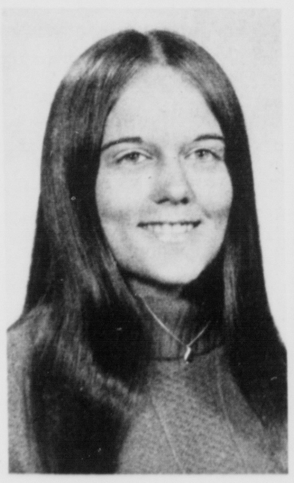
Immanuel Lutheran Church Rachel Circle, Mrs. Jan Horne, 8 p.m.

Friday

Concert by Shelly-Egler flute and organ duo, St. Luke's Episcopal Church, 7:30 p.m.

Corinthian Shrine, White Shrine of Jerusalem, Masonic Temple, 8 p.m.

Miss Yingling is engaged to Dennis Delhotal



MISS JEAN YINGLING

FRANKLIN GROVE— The engagement of Miss Jean Yingling to Dennis Delhotal, son of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Delhotal, is announced by the bride-elect's parents, Mrs. Elaine Nussbaum and Donald Yingling.

Miss Yingling, a 1972 graduate of Franklin Center High School, graduated from the American Institute of Commerce, Davenport, Iowa, and is presently self-employed as a free lance court reporter.

Mr. Delhotal attended Sauk Valley College following his 1969 graduation from Franklin Center High School, and he operates a farm in rural Franklin Grove.

Nelson Club meeting

The Nelson Grade School Mothers' Club will meet at 7:30 p.m. Tuesday in the school when plans will be made for a card party scheduled for 7:30 p.m. Jan. 20 in the school.

Program is planned for Woman's Club meeting

The Dixon Woman's Club will meet at 2 p.m. Saturday in Loveland Community House when the club craft division, headed by Mrs. Cecil Laughrin, will present a portion of the program.

Mrs. Howard Greenfield will be in charge, and members are asked to bring handicraft items for a display. It is requested that names of the contributors be attached to the items they bring for the display.

Music for the program, arranged by Mrs. Verne Johnson, chairman of the club music division, will be presented by Kenneth Baker, a Dixon High School junior, who received the Dixon Woman's Club Music Scholarship last summer, entitling him to spend two weeks at a music camp at the University of Illinois.

Kenneth, son of Mr. and Mrs. Vern Baker, will relate his experiences at the camp, and he will perform three musical selections. The first, a duet with Miss Ellen Miller, a Dixon High School sophomore and daughter of the Duane Millers, will be Beethoven's "Sonata." Kenneth will play "Maple Leaf Rag" by Joplin, and his final number will be a vocal selection, "The Sleigh" by Kountz, when he will be accompanied by Miss Miller.

Mrs. Gerald Gamel and Mrs. Alfred Tice, co-chairmen of the hostess committee, will be assisted by Mrs. Bruce Dunlop, Mrs. John Reeverts, Mrs. Ray Gardner, Mrs. Nellie Hardesty, Mrs. George Stiles, Mrs. Earl Bennyhoff, Mrs. Leo Miles, Mrs. H. V. Massey, Mrs. Edna Topper, Mrs. Harvey Brucker, Mrs. Harry Miller, Mrs. William Morrisse, Mrs. Howard Hahn, Miss Harriett Scott and Mrs. George T. Adams.

Sweet and sour pork with pears

Chinese cooks have always known how to stretch a small amount of pork, beef or chicken. Now, with the high cost of meat, American cooks are adapting Chinese recipes to suit their own needs. With this in mind you may be interested to try the following main dish in which a pound of ground pork is stretched with a can of Bartlett pear halves, a savory sauce and a few vegetables to serve six.

SWEET AND SOUR PORK AND PEARS

- **29-ounce can Bartlett pear halves**
- **1 pound ground pork**
- **1 egg**
- **½ teaspoon salt**
- **1 teaspoon ground ginger**
- **5 tablespoons soy sauce**
- **4 tablespoons cornstarch**
- **2 beef bouillon cubes**
- **¼ cup cider vinegar**
- **2 tablespoons light brown sugar**
- **2 tablespoons cold water**
- **½ to 1 cup thinly sliced celery**
- **½ to 1 cup thin strips green pepper**
- **½ cup thinly sliced scallions, green tops included**

Drain pear halves, reserving syrup. Cut each pear half in two lengthwise. Reserve.

Thoroughly mix together the pork, unbeaten egg, salt, ginger, 2 tablespoons of the soy sauce and 2 tablespoons of the cornstarch. Shape into 18 balls. Heat a 10-inch skillet and add the pork balls; slowly brown and cook through — about ½ hour. Remove from skillet and pour off fat. To skillet add the reserved pear syrup and bouillon cubes; heat, stirring, to dissolve cubes. Stir in vinegar, brown sugar and remaining 3 tablespoons soy sauce.

Stir together the remaining 2 tablespoons cornstarch and the cold water until smooth. Bring mixture in skillet to a gentle boil; add the cornstarch mixture and, stirring constantly, cook until thickened and boiling. Stir in celery, green pepper and scallions; add pears and pork balls and heat through. Serve with rice.

Makes 6 servings.

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Mrs. Palen entertains Nelson Unit

Mrs. William Palen and her assisting hostesses, Mrs. Joy Atkinson and Mrs. Myrtle Duffield, entertained 18 members of the Nelson Homemakers Extension Unit Tuesday when Mrs. Howard Greenfield opened a business session by leading the pledge of allegiance to the American flag.

Mrs. Edward Bollman read the "Homemakers Aim," and reports were given by Mrs. Sidney Buckaloo, Mrs. Rodney Bollman, Mrs. Donald McWethy and Mrs. Bollman.

A minor lesson on "Programming for Lee County" was given by Mrs. J. C. Jaquet, who asked members to suggest topics for unit programs during the coming year, and a major lesson on "Low-Cost Protein Food" was presented by Mrs. Rodney Bollman and Mrs. Leo Peterson. During the demonstration they prepared a "meatless" meat loaf with vegetable protein food for unit members to sample.

The next meeting will be held Feb. 4, and co-hostesses will be Mrs. William Harden, Mrs. Francis Jennings and Mrs. Russell Hallquist. The meeting place will be announced at a later date.

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Polly's Pointers

Polly's Problem

DEAR POLLY— Not too long ago I saw a purse made of cigarette papers shown on a midday television program. I hope some reader can tell me how such purses are made.—MRS. L.K.

DEAR MRS. L.K.— This is a really new idea to me. What will they think of next? Surely some of our many readers will enlighten us on the subject and by so doing help the ecology problem.—POLLY.

DEAR POLLY— My Pet Peeve is with women friends who drop by, come in the kitchen door and set their purses on the kitchen counter or table and then go on in to put them down on the dining room table. Handbags are not clean on the bottom. One never thinks where they may have been put down before they are put on a clean table.

My second Pet Peeve is with the lukewarm cup of water one gets with a package of instant coffee in many restaurants. Since so many of us are now going the de-caffeinated way it seems they could brew it and bring it to the table hot like any other coffee.—MRS. P.L.C.

DEAR POLLY— My suggestion for June, whose covered plastic indoor garbage pail reeks with a bad odor, is to put a layer of newspaper in the bottom and then several moth balls. The plastic or paper bag that actually holds the garbage can be removed without discarding the odor preventive until it needs changing.—A GRANDMOTHER.

Polly's note— Frequently spray the inside of the can with a household disinfectant and remove the garbage bag at least once a day.

DEAR POLLY— My daughter, 5, keeps the spaces under the refrigerator, stove and washer free of lint and dirt and thinks she is playing. After wall-to-wall carpeting was installed I gave her a piece about 8 x 36 inches and she turns this upside down and pushes it under the appliances with her foot. She then does the "Twist" for a few minutes and then retracts the carpet strip. When turned over it has an amazing amount of dust adhering to it. I easily dispose of this by shaking, sweeping or vacuuming.—CECILLE.

DEAR POLLY— When the preparation of a meal requires opening a can do not discard the can until after mealtime. In the meantime rinse and set the can on the stove, drop your cooking spoons, etc., in it. You will find you are saved from having to wash your spoon rest or that extra dirty spot on the stove or counter.—JUDY.

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Miss James is bride-elect of Gary Harden

MISS TERRY JAMES

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth L. James are announcing the engagement of their daughter, Terry Lynn, to Gary Harden, son of Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Harden Jr.

Miss James, a 1973 graduate at Dixon High School, is employed in the medical records department of Community General Hospital, Sterling, and her fiance, who graduated in 1972 from Dixon High School, is employed by the Maumee Truck Leasing Company.

No wedding date has been selected by the engaged couple.

AARP Chapter plans meeting

The Lee County Chapter, American Association of Retired Persons, will meet from 2 to 4 p.m. Monday in the Knights of Columbus Home when Donald Foster, a member of the faculty at Sauk Valley College, will present an illustrated program on the southwestern Indians.

Photographs taken at the chapter's recent Christmas dinner will also be on display.

Attention! Prospective brides

Because of misunderstanding on wedding pictures, The Telegraph is asking prospective brides to arrange for good black-and-white wedding pictures for use with wedding stories.

Color photographs and black-and-white prints off a color negative are unsatisfactory for good newspaper reproduction.

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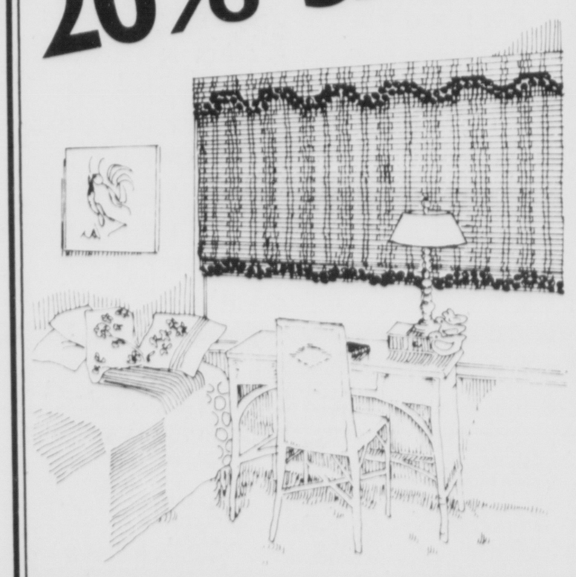

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Says Walker is immune from libel prosecution

CHICAGO (AP) — Gov. Daniel Walker should be immune from civil damage actions because he is governor, say lawyers seeking dismissal of a $6 million libel suit filed against the chief executive.

The suit was filed by two lawyers who claim they were libeled by Walker in a press release criticizing their role in a controversial real estate transaction.

Attorneys Allan Blair and David R. Gray, who also are real estate brokers, purchased Lillian Ware's $25,000 Evanston home for $59.61 in delinquent taxes and interest.

They contend in the suit that Walker injured their reputations and good names by his remarks.

Among other things, the press release stated that Walker would act to prevent Blair and Gray from engaging in similar transactions. Alhough the release referred to them as real estate brokers, the two say they acted strictly as lawyers in the tax takeover.

In asking for dismissal of the suit, Walker attorney Thomas Sullivan said, "Acting as the state's chief executive, Gov. Walker enjoys absolute immunity against civil damages."

Judge Nicholas J. Bua is scheduled to rule Jan. 29 on the suit, which he described as unique. He says there are no legal precedents in Illinois law.

Mrs. Ware eventually bought back her home for $7,500, which was raised in the community.

Big industry feels crunch

LONDON — (LENS) — Industrialists around the world have been reading about the coming horrors for far longer than they have felt any of its ripples.

Cash shortage? Oh, the government can bail us out of that one. Fall-off in demand? Well, perhaps not so hot at home — but our exports are doing fine. Change in investment plans? Orders look good and, to tell you the truth, a bit of slack will give us the chance to rebuild stocks, later the models, catch up on the maintenance.

The beginning of every trade cycle downturn is marked by the psychologically understandable reluctance to believe that the good times are over.

The boom that is over saw demand for all types of equipment at record levels. Theoretically, the order books are still full, especially for most capital goods, and many of the orders will get translated into sales. But in the last three months or so new orders have been coming in more slowly, and cancellations and requests for delayed delivery are becoming more frequent.

The sensible makers of capital goods have spread their business so that if steelworks building falls, then there is always, say, the chemical industry to supply.

But this time even the most ebullient sales directors are now face to face with the unpleasant fact that the investment plans of most industries in most countries are going to move in the same direction. Nearly all their customers are in trouble to a greater or lesser extent.

But first, the good news. The rush to develop non-Middle East oil sources and non-oil energy sources has been a boon for makers of process plant, steel construction, pipes, pipelaying and coal mining equipment, and all the ancillary machinery.

The other of this year's shortages — food — has spurred farmers to buy agricultural machinery. Delivery dates of some types of equipment, especially tractors, have stretched out again to six months or more in most European markets.

And now the bad news:

—The building and construction industry has turned down viciously in the United States and West Germany as well as in Britain; orders for things like dump trucks are increasingly hard to find.

—The car industry, usually a large buyer of equipment in general and machine tools in particular, will cut back investment plans; shipbuilding orders have tumbled; few airlines are buying new aircraft, even of established designs, let alone new ones like the Lockheed TriStar. So, in turn, there is little prospect of any airframe or engine manufacturer tooling up for a new product.

—The electrical industry will suffer from cutbacks in new generating equipment, following the increase in energy prices, and will suffer from the fall in demand for consumer goods like cookers amd refrigerators.

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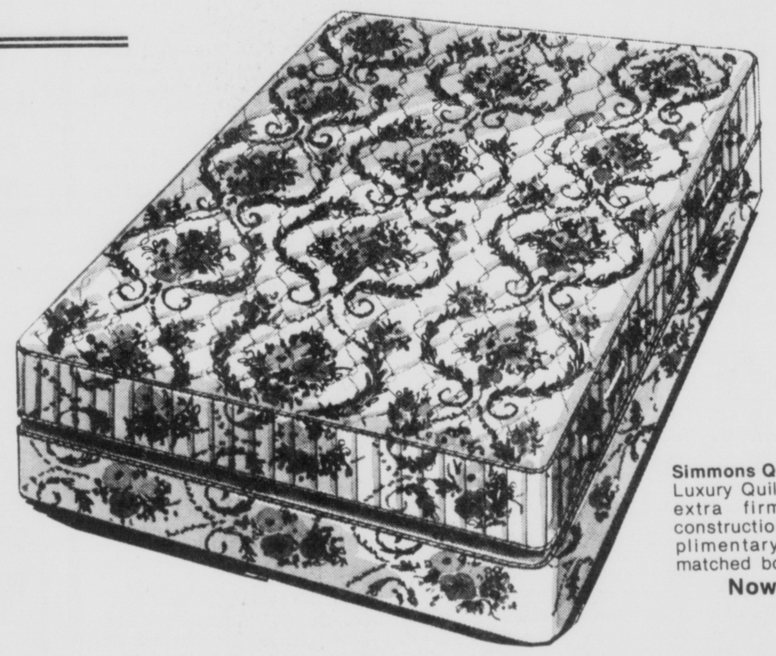
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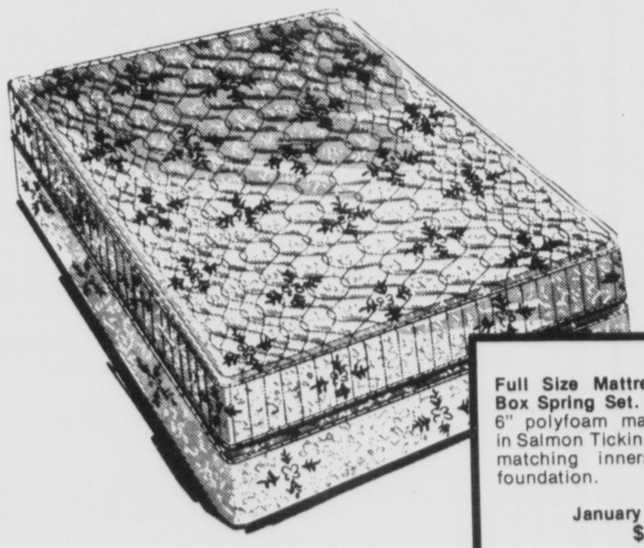
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No. 74-P-444
By Mrs. Robert R. Miles
For Code 1-321
Code 1-321, First Add. Lot 1 & 2, Block 4 of Steward, Illinois, ALTO TOWNSHIP
From: C-2
To: C-3 Garages, public for storage, repair and servicing of automobiles and trucks, including body repair and painting, but not including auto wrecking yards.

The Petition is on file in the office of the Zoning Board of Appeals in the Courthouse, in Dixon, Illinois.

A public hearing on said petition will be held on the 29th day of January-1975, at 8:00 PM, at the County Board Room in the Courthouse, in Dixon, Illinois.

Written objections may be filed thereto with the County Clerk of Lee County, Illinois, five days prior to the meeting.

All persons interested or objecting to said petition should attend said hearing.

Zoning Board of Appeals
of Lee County, Illinois
Jan. 9, 1975

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Take notice that a petition has been filed to re-zone the following described real estate:
No. 74-P-445
By Norman B. Reynolds, Sr.
For Code 5-305
Tract 225' x 246' NH of NWQ SWQ Deed Book 278, Page 230, 1.27 A., BROOKLYN TOWNSHIP
From: AG-1
To: SPECIAL USE for Mr. & Mrs. Norman B. Reynolds, Sr., and family, only. When vacated by them, it reverts back to AG-1. (One trailer is setting on the old foundation and the other one is adjacent to the north side of the barn.)

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The Doctor Says:

By Lawrence E. Lamb, M.D.

DEAR DR. LAMB — Could you tell me why my face gets red when I bend down or when the temperature is in the 80s or over? It gets red when I dance the polka or when I work outside when it's hot. I had my blood pressure checked a couple of times and the doctor said it was normal.

I am 44 years old. I must add thatn when I do strenuous work like lifting bales of hay I have a hard time getting enough air in my lungs. I am female.

DEAR READER — When you bend over the pressure of the blood flowing to your head increases. Whenever any part of the body is below the heart this tends to occur. You can do an experiment if you want. Lie down and hold your bare feet up in the air. Notice that the skin will become pale. Now sit up and watch the color return to the skin over your feet.

The red color of the face is related to the opening of the small blood vessels in the skin. It may have nothing at all to do with your blood pressure. When you get hot you have to cool the body. So, the small blood vessels open to expose blood to the surface and cool it. Your skin acts as a water cooler temperature control device for your body. So, when the weather is hot your face gets red. When your body is too warm from dancing the polka or even lifting bales of hay the blood is sent to the surface of the skin to cool you off.

DEAR DR. LAMB — Some time back in your column you advised a reader to consult a specialist in "physical medicine."

The terminology is unfamiliar to me and since you mentioned Dr. Janet Travell, President Kennedy's doctor in the White House, who is an osteopath, I'm wondering if a specialist in physical medicine and an osteopath are one and the same.

DEAR READER — First, Dr. Travell was and is a well-known doctor of medicine, not of osteopathy. She was associate professor of pharmacology at Cornell, among her many other accomplishments, before she became President Kennedy's doctor. She is one of the pioneers in muscle function and treatment of muscular disorders, but she is not an osteopath. In point of fact, she graduated number one in her class from medical school, so it is not surprising that she has had such a distinguished career.

Physical Medicine is a specialty in the framework of the medical profession; just as pediatrics, psychiatry, surgery and internal medicine are specialties. These doctors first finish medical school, then specialize in the problems that affect the musculoskeletal system. They are involved in work related to rehabilitation, from paralysis due to polio — not so common now, thankfully, to stroke problems and loss or decrease of function of any part of the muscular system.

You may also have a misconception of modern trained osteopaths. Schools of osteopathy train doctors to take care of patients with all manner of medical problems, not just problems of the muscles and bones.

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Legal

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT
OF THE FIFTEENTH
JUDICIAL CIRCUIT
LEE COUNTY, ILLINOIS
LINDA NICHLESON,
Plaintiff,
vs.
TOMMY NICHLESON,
Defendant.
NO. 75-D-3
NOTICE

The requisite Affidavit for Publication having been filed, notice is hereby given you, Tommy Nichleson, that a suit has been filed in the Circuit Court of Lee County, Illinois by the plaintiff, Linda Nichleson, against you for divorce and for other relief; that Summons duly issued against you as provided by law, and which suit is now pending.

Now, therefore, unless you, the said defendant, file your answer to the Complaint in said suit or otherwise make your appearance therein in the office of the Clerk of said Circuit Court of Lee County, Illinois, at the Courthouse in Dixon, Illinois on or before the 12 day of February, 1975 A.D., default may be entered against you at any time after that day, and a Decree entered in accordance with the prayer of said Complaint.

Harold W. Huffman
Clerk
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Attorneys for Plaintiff
Jan. 9, 16, 23, 1975.

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Take notice that a petition has been filed to re-zone the following described real estate:
No. 74-P-443
By James I. Glaser
For Code 21-79
L. H. Thompson Property—Code 21-79, N½ of the NW¼ Sec. 9, Twp. 38, Range 2 WILLOW CREEK TOWNSHIP
From: AG-1
To: I-1 of Three (3) acres in the most NWestern Corner of L. H. Thompson property for grain storage and processing.

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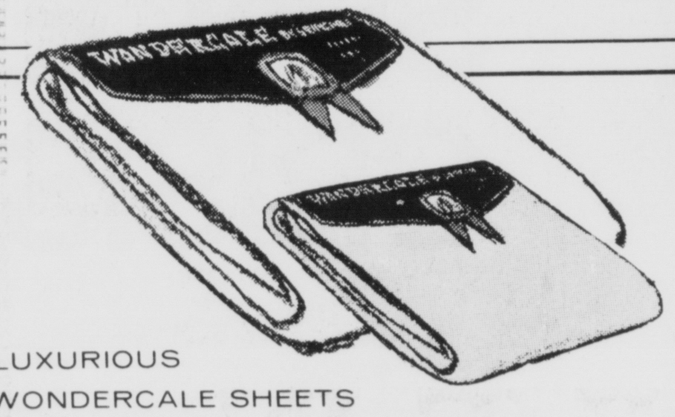

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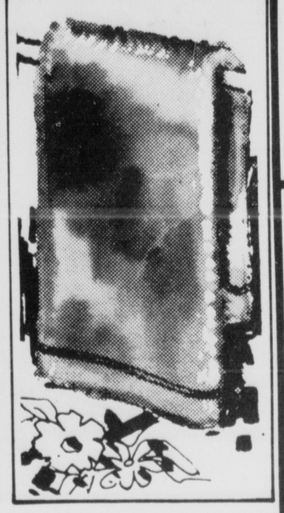

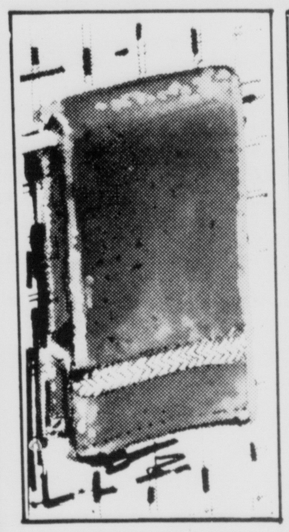

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Strip mining marches on

HAZARD, Ky. (NEA)— Esthetically, Ollie Combs' property has never been much. It's 40 acres, mostly up and down, at the head of a hollow and the rear of underdeveloped rurality in the Kentucky Appalachians where "even the weeds have a hard time a makin' it."

Nevertheless, it's all she has— and her great pride. Thus, when a coal company rudely invaded the land a decade ago, with strip mining intentions and machinery as tall as the trees, widow Combs said no. She said it so forcefully, in fact, positioning herself in front of bulldozers and so forth, that she became something of an instant mountain legend. She was arrested for her protests, put on television talk shows, and flown to Washington as an elderly darling of the then-growing anti-strip mining movement.

Today, widow Combs has retired from the war against stripping. She says she's too old now— 70— for combat. She does keep up "some" with strip mine news, she adds, but for the most part she's out of it. She spends her time quietly, caring for a paralyzed relative in a dilapidated home on the flattest portion of the 40 acres. Meanwhile, all about, the strippers still tear up the land.

The departure of this warhorse is of more than passing interest in the local and national strip mining controversy. For she has retreated not only because of age, but in the face of changing odds favoring the other side. Times in America, hard, have swung against the sensitive, militant, defiant approach to surface coal mining and toward "necessary" acquiescence. Thus widow Combs and other anti-strippers, once heroes, are now, in light of energy shortages and industrical stagnation, considered dangerous by many of the fearful.

The trend away from the hard line on stripping is of course most apparent in coal country. Ken Ratliff, of Kentucky's Bureau of Reclamation, says this state as a whole is still "very concerned" about surface mining abuses, "but coal counties are something else." Bumper stickers in the hills proclaim "We Dig Coal." Mining area newspapers trumpet statistics which show a doubling in Kentucky of strip-mining activity. Individuals often equate conservationists with anti-Americanism: "What do they want, the Arabs to take over?"

The pro-stripping attitude carries no mystery here. Coal at present is synonymous with prosperity. Oldsters who remember the Appalachian dollar gloom of yesteryear, and read about enormous problems elsewhere even now, say with accuracy that strip mining here is the difference between lower middle-class survival and desperate privation.

Says one coal executive: "Companies are charged $35 an acre and $150 for each permit to dig. Plus there is a 35- to 40-cent severance tax per ton. Half the acreage and permit charges are given to the counties, and a percentage of the severance tax. Hell, that's big money. You don't find people around here willing to forego it for the sake of a few trees."

And so it is that while some people do profit, the landscape suffers. Despite a fairly stiff state reclamation law, great stretches of the surrounding hills have been wounded. Large numbers of giant coal trucks dominate and damage the highways. Roadside processing plants, at full steam, throw out ever widening circles of scorched earth. The air is heavy with the smells and grime of cold coal cash.

Bakalis to form 'pressure group'

CHICAGO (AP) — Outgoing State Schools Superintendent Michael J. Bakalis said today he intends to form a citizens pressure group to influence Illinois education when he leaves office—and he left the door open for a return to politics.

He hinted he might challenge Gov. Daniel Walker in the Democratic primary in 1976 if Walker's performance does note improve during the current legislative session. His decision to reenter politics is six to eight months away, Bakalis said.

He also said he might consider running for Congress.

Bakalis, 36, leaves office Jan. 13 because his job as state superintendent of public instruction will be eliminated by the new state Constitution, which stipulates that the job of the state's top educator be appointive rather than elective.

Bakalis, who supported Walker in 1972, said, "I have been disappointed in his performance ... There was an opportunity to put reality into the rhetoric" of establishing a patronage-free politics. This was not fulfilled, he said.

Walker could be beaten, Bakalis said, if he does not govern well.

He also said he would seriously consider becoming Chicago school superintendent if the job were offered to him.

When elected in 1970, Bakalis was the Democratic party's top vote getter, even collecting more ballots than Sen. Adlai Stevenson III.

Bakalis' citizens pressure group will be called the Illinois Committee for Educational Excellence. He said it will be a statewide coalition that would lobby for the taxpayer and the "educational consumer." Describing it as a combination Nader's Raiders and Common Cause, two nationwide citizen pressure groups, Bakalis said the group "will place special emphasis on parent and student rights."

He said the group would go to court if necessary to fight for these rights.

Bakalis' other plans include writing a book on the politics of education, teaching and lecturing and directing a foundation-sponsored education reform project.

Official seal

PICASSO'S OFFICIAL handwritten "d'accord" on this photo of his sculpture, "The Bather," sealed the deal between the Spanish artist and Norwegian artist Carl Nesjar who supervised the construction of Picasso's 28-foot piece. It was originally to be constructed in Copenhagen but now will be displayed at the Gould Center in Rolling Meadows, Ill.

Comptroller vows to speed up bill payments

SPRINGFIELD, Ill. (AP) — Comptroller George Lindberg says he has created a special task force within his department to speed up the payment of bills owed by the state.

"There are delays in processing bills at the agency level in Illinois of up to 60 days and more," Lindberg said in a statement. "This is a disgrace. If taxpayers at home paid their bills that slowly, the bill collectors would hound them relentlessly."

Lindberg said the task force's first step would be to send a questionnaire to all state departments and agencies in an effort to find out exactly why bills are held up.

The comptroller also announced he has stopped paying bills submitted by the state Civil Defense Agency because its director had not been properly appointed.

Lindberg said he would continue to process the department's payroll but would not pay the salary of Civil Defense Director Erie Jones or other agency bills. He said Jones' name had not been submitted to the state Senate for confirmation by Gov. Daniel Walker.

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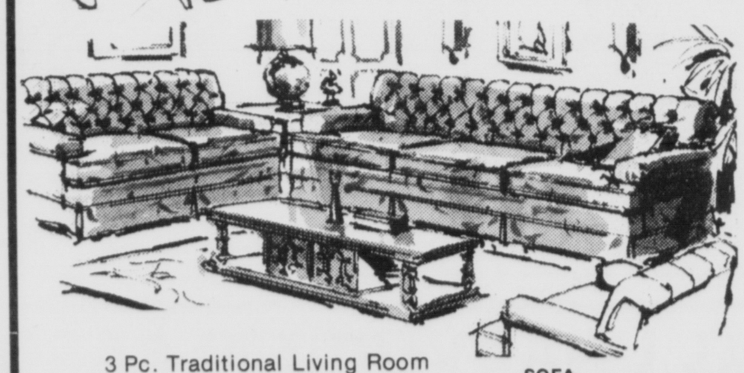

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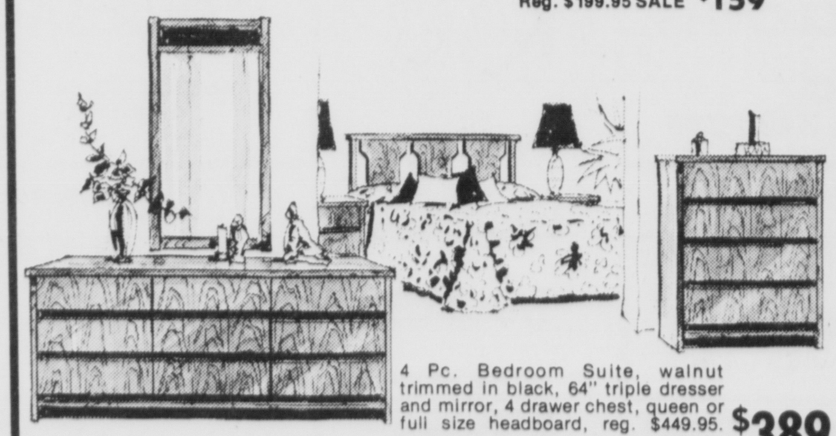

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CASE C 646: Debby G., aged 22, is secretary to a college chemistry professor.

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"In fact, I hesitate even to mention them to you, lest you think I am making them up.

"For example, he picks his nose while he is dictating letters.

"And as if that isn't bad enough, he then licks the excreta from his fingers, like a child sucking on a lollipop! Imagine!

"Besides, he has horrible 'B.O.,' so I doubt if he takes a bath even once per month!

"I almost retch when I lay my finished letters in front of him for his signature.

"For his ears are full of wax and his shoulders are covered with dandruff.

"Dr. Crane, if he were a senile old professor, I could excuse many of these faults, but he is only 37.

"I can't understand why he doesn't watch the TV commercials and take some of their hints.

"Do you suppose he is so self-centered that he can't imagine how he appears to other people?

"And he is a bachelor so could that explain his many violations of social etiquette and good grooming?"

One-Way Streets

Many scientists are such introverts that they look out on life through what I call a one-way mental street.

They lack empathy!

So they have difficulty identifying themselves with other people who surround them.

Lacking an elastic imagination, they can't project themselves into the shoes of their companions and then, figuratively, look back at themselves!

Artists, fiction writers, salesmen, mothers and others noted for tact or diplomacy, have elastic imaginations, so they can sympathize with others around them.

For sympathy, as well as humor, are based on an extrovertive outlook and a two-way mental street.

Scrooge was such an extreme introvert that he couldn't empathize with his employees and thus he lacked sympathy.

Silas Marner was another extreme introvert who finally became socially oriented when little Eppie toddled into his cabin.

Debby wonders if the fact her boss is a bachelor could explain his offensive personal habits.

It could, but his dandruff, halitosis, "B.O.," ear wax and nauseating nasal behavior could also explain why no girl has grown romantic about him.

So I urged Debby to use the "Compliment Club" technique and try to praise him into the right direction.

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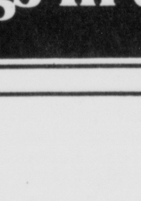

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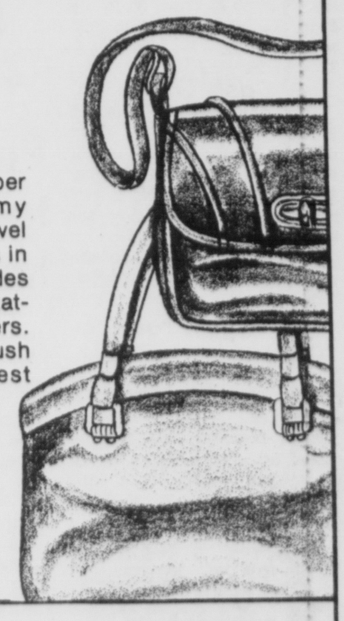

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Markets

D-J Noon Averages

NEW YORK (AP) — Dow Jones noon stock averages:

30 Industrials	634.23	off 1.17
20 Transport.	147.53	up 0.90
15 Utilities	074.71	off 0.22
65 Stocks	207.35	unch

Stocks

The following stock quotations, as of 1 p.m., are furnished by H. W. Beeler and O. M. Nasather of Loewi and Co., Sterling. Interested readers may call Loewi and Co. for desired quotations which are not listed.

AlldCh 27⅞	HowJ 5
Alco 27⅞	IntHarv 20⅜
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AmCan 29¾	IBM 164½
AmT&T 46⅞	IntPap 36¼
Anacond 14⅝	ITT 14⅞
BethStl 26⅜	John-M 19⅞
Chrysl 9¼	ProctG 78⅞
Donld 12¾-13½	Sears 51½
DuPont 95½	SO Ind 43⅛
Eastm 63⅜	Texaco 23
Exxon 66	UnCarb 40⅞
GenEl 34	UnitAir 14⅛
GenFds 20¼	US Stl 39⅜
GenMtrs 35¾	Wstghs 10⅞
Goodyr 13¾	Woolw 11⅛
GrantW 2⅜	
AnCou 4¾	MichGen 1⅛
BoseCa 11⅜	NI-Gas 19¼
Borg-War 14⅛	NW Stl 36½
CenTel 18¼	OccPet 13¾
ClarkOil 8⅜	Ozark 2⅝
ComEd 24	rPratt 4-4½
Frantz 7¾	Ramad 2⅝
Hardee 3½	Tamp 31¼-32¼
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Chicago Mercantile Exchange

Future trading on the Chicago Mercantile Exchange today. Quotations furnished by Heinold Commodities, Inc.

	High	Low	Close	Prev. Close
Live Beef Cattle				
Feb	39.60	38.90	38.95	39.12
Apr	40.05	39.85	39.95	39.95
Jun	41.00	40.75	40.80	40.87
Aug	41.72	41.20	41.20	41.15
Live Hogs				
Feb	42.15	41.25	41.75	41.55
Apr	41.95	40.90	41.40	41.20
Jun	44.85	44.05	44.60	44.15
Jul	45.85	45.00	45.60	45.10
Pork Bellies				
Feb	63.75	61.85	62.35	63.20
Mar	63.90	62.10	62.50	63.50
May	65.10	63.30	63.85	64.77
Jul	66.50	64.45	64.80	65.72
Soybean Meal				
Jan	136.00	132.50	134.50	131.50
May	149.80	147.50	147.50	145.80
Soybean Oil				
Jan	35.50	34.75	34.90	35.70
Mar	34.80	34.00	34.20	34.85
May	33.95	33.10	33.40	33.75

Grain Range

Wheat				
Mar	421½	411½	411½	422½
May	418	412	416	418¾
Jul	399	390	392	395½
Sep	404	396	398	401
Corn				
Mar	342½	336½	337¼	338¾
May	344	338¼	338½	340¾
Jul	349¾	335¾	336½	339¾
Sep	322	317	320	319½
Dec	292½	287½	289	288¼
Soybeans				
Jan	678	667	669	670
Mar	694	680	680	683½
May	706	693	694	697¼
Jul	713	701	702	704½
Nov	670	660	661	660

Interior Hog Market

SPRINGFIELD, Ill. (AP) — (USDA)-Interior Illinois hog prices (state-federal): Receipts 15,000; demand fair Thursday, butchers strong to 25 higher; 1-2 200-240 lbs 40.00; 1-3 200-240 lbs 39.50-39.75, few 39.25 and 40.00; 2-3 240-260 lbs 38.75-39.50; sows steady; 1-3 300-600 lbs 32.50-34.50.

Cash Grain

CHICAGO (AP) — Wheat No 2 hard winter 4.20½n Thursday; No 2 soft red 4.17½n. Corn No 2 yellow 3.36½n (hopper) 3.31½n (box). Oats No 2 extra heavy white 1.74¾n. Soybeans No 1 yelow 6.74n.

No 2 yellow corn Wednesday was quoted at 3.34¾n (hopper) 3.29¾n (box).

Chicago Produce

CHICAGO (AP) — (USDA) — Butter firm; wholesale buying prices Thursday unquoted on all grades. 0

Eggs trending lower; sales deliverdd warehouse, cartons unchanged to 1 lower; A extra large 62-65; A large 61-63; A mediums 57-59.

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Rochelle Market

HOG MARKET	
180-200 lbs	36.50-38.00
200-230 lbs	37.75-40.00
230-250 lbs	38.00-39.00
250-270 lbs	37.00-37.50
SOW MARKET	
350-down	33.00-33.50
250-500 lbs	32.00-32.50
CATTLE MARKET	
Ch Steers 1000-1250	36.50-38.50
Gd Steers 1000-1250	35.00-36.50
Holsteins	28.00-31.00
Ch Heifers 900-1050	35.00-37.50
Gd Heifers 900-1050	34.00-35.00

About Town

KSB Hospital

Admitted: Miss Stacy Bearden, Mrs. Pearl Rickard, Mrs. Ruth Fisher, Mrs. Helen Kron, Alvin Harden, Robert Hammarstrom, Mrs. Nelta Jessee, Mrs. Lucille Loftus, Ernest Wernick, Glenn Immel, Mrs. Ivy Jones, Mrs. Shirley Cleveland, Mrs. Nancy Schuler, Eugene White, Dixon; Roy Zentz, Rock Falls; Mrs. Roxanne Leirman, Sterling; Master Clyde Dalberg, Chana; Mrs. Beverly Blake, Mt. Morris; Miss Karen Babbitt, Ernest Mann, Polo; Master Dallas Hodges, Bradley Taft, Oregon; Mrs. Barbara Smith, Amboy; Joseph Beischke, Franklin Grove.

Discharged: Michael McCauley, Miss Connie Kopacz, Miss Marie Fassler, Frank Cook, George Maves, Mrs. Hazel Remrey, Mrs. Phyllis Landis, Miss Lenae Wolf, Dixon; Mrs. Jean Lawton, Ernest Mann, Polo; Thomas McCormick, Roy Zentz, Rock Falls; Frankie Lunardon, Master Allen Byrns Jr., Oregon; James Hannon, Ohio; Dale Brownlee, Amboy.

Births: Mr. and Mrs. Max Alvarez, Rock Falls, a daughter, Jan. 8.

Licenses To Wed

A marriage license was issued by the office of John E. Stouffer, county clerk, to David S. Kutz, 207 Willett Ave., and Janette Kemp, 1304 Adelheid Park.

Divorces

A divorce decree was granted by Chief Circuit Judge James E. Bales to Clarence Thompson from Betty J. Thompson.

Local Forecast

This afternoon cloudy and a little warmer. High in the upper 30s to lower 40s.

Tonight cloudy, windy and a little warmer with rain likely. Low in the mid or upper 30s.

Friday cloudy, windy and mild with occasional rain and some thunderstorms. High in the mid or upper 40s.

Probability of measurable precipitation, 70 per cent tonight, 80 per cent Friday.

5-Day Forecast

Considerable cloudiness Saturday through Monday with chance of rain or snow around Saturday. Becoming decidedly colder during the period with temperatures dropping to highs in the teens northwest and in the 20s southeast and lows zero to 10 above northwest and 10 to 20 southeast by Monday.

Weather

DIXON TEMPERATURES

High Wednesday, 36; low today, 31; 12:30 p.m., 35.

Peorians band together to help vendor

PEORIA, Ill. (AP) — Just before Christmas a customer handed blind vendor George Bruketta a $5 bill and told him it was a $10. While Bruketta went to get a friend to check the denomination, the patron opened the cash register and left with $180.

Bruketta, who runs a stand at City Hall and has been the victim of several similar crimes, got a break Tueday night from the City Council. It voted to urge Peorians to contribute funds to buy him a photoelectric cell that reads money denominations automatically.

Councilman Warren Reynolds, sponsor of the resolution, dubbed the drive "Let's Do It for George." He said any surplus funds donated would be used to buy the $169 photoelectric cells for four other blind vendors in Peoria.

Before the Council meeting ended, $108 was collected.

Card of Thanks

I would like to thank the people on my paper route for the candy, money, gifts & cookies given to me at Christmas.

Jennifer Hamill

Officials probe cause of Nachusa house fire

A one-story Nachusa house with an attic and basement was heavily damaged by fire and smoke Wednesday.

The Dixon Rural Fire Department was called to the house at 10:30 a.m. one block west of the Nachusa Road in the village. Heavy smoke prevented firemen from gaining entry to the house. Flames which engulfed the walls also destroyed the floor of the home, which was owned by Claude Currens and occupied by the John Maronde family.

The cause of the fire, which was extinguished in 3½ hours, has not been determined. The family dog and a bird were lost in the fire.

One fireman sustained minor injuries in fighting the blaze.

The Nachusa and Grand Detour stations of the Dixon Rural Fire Department, along with the Franklin Grove Fire Department, were called to extinguish the fire.

Ashton youth fined $25

Raymond Siebern, 19, Ashton, was fined $25 in Lee County Court Wednesday after being convicted on a charge of disorderly conduct.

Siebern was accused of attempting to run over an Ashton man with his car Nov. 25. Sheriff's Deputies arrested Siebern.

In other court dispositions Bradley Walker, 17, Ashton, was found not guilty on a charge of disorderly conduct. Walker had been accused of throwing a fire cracker Oct. 30, by Lee County Sheriff's Deputies.

Man killed in one-car crash

BYRON— A Byron man was fatally injured in a one-car accident Wednesday night on Ill. 2, four miles north of Ill. 72 in Ogle County.

Pronounced dead at the scene was Roger E. Lighthart, 31, Rt. 2, Byron.

Lighthart was northbound on Ill. 2, lost control of his car on a curve, left the road on the right side, drove along a ditch and struck a culvert, investigating state police said.

Lighthart was thrown through the windshield of the car, which received $3,800 damage.

Heart Association sets dinner-meet

Members of the Heart Association have scheduled their annual "dutch treat" kick-off dinner-meeting for 6:30 p.m. Jan. 16 in the private dining room at KSB Hospital.

All persons interested in attending the event are asked to notify Joe Kaemit, 284-6605, by Monday.

The guest speaker will be Dr. Thomas Glatter, Rockford, formerly of Dixon. Dr. Glatter is a graduate of Illinois Medical School, and he served his internship in Seattle, Wash. He presently serves as clinical associate professor at the College of Medicine in Rockford.

AMC's new Pacer

American Motors' 1975 Pacer is a wide small car unique in concept and designed to appeal to a broad range of car buyers. The two-door Pacer, with a 100-inch wheelbase, is offered in three versions— a standard model, a sporty "X" and a luxury D-L model shown above. It has an overall length of 171.5 inches, making it easier to park and maneuver. The curbside door is four inches longer than the driver's door for easy entry and exit of rear-seat passengers. Interior room matches or exceeds that of large cars. Optimum visibility results from its expansive window area and low belt line. The Pacer is covered by the company's Buyer Protection Plan which provides free correction of any factory defect in material or workmanship for 12 months or 12,000 miles. It is scheduled for introduction in early March.

Farm groups push for new housing standards

WASHINGTON (AP) — If a series of hearings scheduled soon by the Labor Department on proposed new federal standards for farm worker housing does not result in substantive improvements, then full-scale congressional hearings will be sought, says a farm labor spokesman.

Raphael Semmes, executive secretary of the National Association of Farm Worker Programs, said that after the proposed regulations were announced last September the plan by the group was to seek congressional hearings.

But the Labor Department later called for a series of its own hearings and so the association tabled its plan for congressional airings, at least temporarily.

"We felt that if these hearings were not held, then congressional hearings would be called for," Semmes told a reporter Wednesday. "We're going to see how they go. If they turn out just to be a device to distract attention, then we'll ask for congressional hearings."

The Labor department hearings have been set for: Washington, D.C., Jan. 20; Toledo, Ohio, Jan. 23; Fort Lauderdale, Fla., Jan. 27; Corpus Christi Jan. 30; and Portland, Ore., Feb. 4.

Forty groups, including Semmes' association, joined last Oct. 23 in asking the Labor Department to delay approval of the new housing proposals until hearings could be held. The department's decision to schedule the forthcoming hearings followed that request.

Semmes said if the original proposals were put into effect they would permit employers to provide shabbier facilities for field workers and wipe out what few gains have been made through the years. There are an estimated 200,000 migrant farm workers, not inciuding many family members who also work in the fields.

The proposed new standards were drawn up by the Occupational Safety and Health Administration in the Labor Department. In their petition last October, the 40 groups said the proposed regulations "are so vague that they will permit housing with no windows, no nearby toilet facilities, no screens, no adequate space and no electricity" if an employer chose to follow the rules closely.

The signers included labor leaders, church officials, educators, civil rights executives and rural housing spokesmen.

WASHINGTON (AP) — France has harvested its first commercial soybean crop, says the Agriculture Department, but the figures indicated U.S. farmers will not have to worry about competition fromtheir French counterparts for a while.

The 197 French crop was estimated at between 8,000 and 9,000 metric tons, according to the department's Foreign Agricultural Service. The U.S. harvest last year, although down from 1973, was more than 33.8 million tons.

Reagan's second career launched

HOLLYWOOD, Calif. (AP) — Seven stories above the corner of Hollywood and Vine, Ronald Reagan sipped champagne with friends, newsmen and fellow workers in Harry O'Connor's sound studio.

It was the kickoff of the former California governor's second career in radio, and everyone involved in the venture appeared pleased with the first day of recording.

During 10 shows recorded Wednesday for daily broadcast beginning Jan. 20, Reagan sharply attacked government bureaucrats, urged that private enterprise be allowed to compete with the U.S. mail service and called for repeal of fair trade price support laws.

O'Connor, the producer of Reagan's daily five-minute "Viewpoint" political commentary program, said at least 160 stations nationwide will broadcast it.

Reagan, who ended eight years as governor just two days earlier, was relaxed and in good spirits for the two-hour taping session.

Reagan's long entertainment career began in 1932 as a radio announcer and sportscaster in Des Moines, Iowa.

About 20 newsmen and well-wishers crowded into the sound studio in the Hollywood Taft Building, long a landmark at Hollywood's most famous corner.

During a break in the session, Sally Cobb, owner of the Brown Derby restaurant half a block away, brought in champagne.

"You're back home, Ronnie," Mrs. Cobb said, embracing the former actor briefly.

Deaths, Funerals

Mrs. Edna Moore

AURORA— Mrs. Edna May Moore, 83, North Aurora, died Saturday at Four Seasons Nursing Center.

She was born March 17, 1891, in Dixon.

Mrs. Moore was preceded in death by her husband, John, in 1972.

She is survived by one son, Darrell Moore, Aurora; three sisters, Mrs. Ana McWilliams, South Bend, Ind.; Mrs. Mary Brooks, Dixon, and Mrs. Nellie Fane, Rockford, and one brother, Edward Heimbaugh, Ashton.

Funeral services were held Monday at Healy Chapel at 9 a.m., with the Rev. Robert C. Urquhart officiating.

Burial was at River Hills Memorial Park.

Mrs. Ruth Bovey

Mrs. Ruth I. Bovey, 84, formerly of Dixon, died Monday in Larkspur, Calif., following a short illness.

She was born July 3, 1889, in Dixon, the daughter of John D. and Ammie (Fargo) Crabtree. She was married to William F. Bovey in 1911 in Dixon.

Her husband and one son preceded her in death.

Survivors include one daughter, Mrs. John Gray, Larkspur, Calif.; one son, Fred E. Bovey, Oak Park; five grandchildren and eight great-grandchildren.

Graveside services will be held at 11 a.m. in Oakwood Cemetery, Dixon, with the Rev. William V. Carpenter officiating.

Ogle deputies arrest Dixon man

OREGON — Victor Jimenez, 22, 1033 Highland Ave., Dixon, was arrested at 1:40 a.m. today on Ill. 2 at Town Hall Rd., north or Oregon.

Ogle County Sheriff's Police charged Jimenez with driving after revocation of his license.

Jimenez posted bond and is scheduled to appear in court on Jan. 17.

Wisconsin woman is big winner

JOLIET, Ill. (AP)— Margaret Heine of Waukesha, Wis., won $300,000 today in the bonanza drawing of the Illinois lottery. Alex Sojka of Chicago won $50,000.

Mrs. Heine, 54, is the mother 12 children, including three who are adopted. Her husband, Gerald, is employed as a building superintendent for the Waukesha, Wis., YMCA.

The Heine's have had 98 foster children since 1941. Their children range in age from 7 to 33.

The youngest adopted child, a 7-year-old boy, is retarded, Mrs. Heine said. She added some of the lottery money would be spent on him. "Our pride and joy is our 7-year-old retarded boy."

"He'll benefit from this," she added. She said she will continue working as a school bus driver. She said she hoped the lottery winnings "will not change our life."

Sojka was not present at the drawing.

Five $10,000 winners were chosen: John F. Eckhardt of Elmwood Park; Sylvia Shuman of Chicago; Joe Horvath of Chicago; Mildred M. Young of Galesburg; Edgard H. Bingham of Norwood Park.

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BULLETIN

JOLIET, Ill. (AP) — Here are the winning numbers picked today in the Illinois lottery:

LOTTO

16
28
15
43
32

BONANZA QUALIFIERS

660
127
009

SUN TRIPS

28659

Park district hires director

ROCHELLE— Members of the Flagg-Rochelle Community Park District hired Robert Kent, formerly of Glen Ellyn, as Park District director at their regular meeting Wednesday.

Kent was the unanimous choice of the commissioners, after they had reviewed 74 applications for the position.

Kent replaces Dick Murray, who resigned last Oct. 1. He was hired at $13,500 a year, and receives car mileage.

The board heard David Kasmar, a representative of the Rochelle Snowmobile Club, when he asked the Park District for facilities for classes to instruct a group of 30 12- to 16-year-olds. Class instruction will include the safety, clothing and maintenance of snowmobiles. Students must pass a written examination and an outdoor driving course. If students pass the course they will receive a patch, certificate, and a license. This will permit them to drive on trails, otherwise they must drive on private property.

A discussion on a snowmobile trail in Skare Park was held. A member of the Park District and Snowmobile Club will go over a suggested route and the club will plot and maintain the course. The trailway will be used as a snowmobile route in the winter and as a bicycle route in the summer.

The board was told of poachers in Skare Park, northwest of Rochelle, and the Park District president, Don Horner, advised people to contact the Police Department if they know of any people hunting on the land. Horner will contact the police department to see if the land can be patrolled. The land is posted for no hunting.

The board paid a bill to D. R. Gilbert & Son, Contractors, for $3,000 for the cleaning of Spring Lake.

Senate President Partee denies party split

SPRINGFIELD, Ill. (AP) — Sen. Cecil A. Partee, elected Senate President for the next two years, denies that his Democratic ranks have been splintered by the dispute that delayed his election.

A group of eight Democrats withheld ther votes for Partee for several hours Wednesday but in the end provided the winning majority after private discussions with the Democratic leader.

"It's all ancient history," Partee said after his election. "I'm really not looking backward. The Democratic members of the Senate are together and are looking futuristically toward doing things for people"

Partee indicated that some of the discussions during the recess centered on members of the dissident group receiving certain committee assignments and a greater say generally in party business.

The Chicago Democrat immediately named Sen. Terry Bruce, D-Olney, as an assistant majority leader. Bruce was one of the eight Democrats who withheld their votes for Partee, and his selection was seen as one of the major concessions.

"We just wanted a reassurance that everyone would be treated fairly."

And another of the eight, Rep. Kenneth Buzbee, D-Carbondale, said: "There were no promises asked and no promises made, including future appointment of committee members."

Other Democrats who held out were Vince DeMuzio of Carlinville, Vivian Hickey of Rockford, Jerome Joyce of Reddick, William Morris of Waukegan, Dawn Clark Netsch of Chicago and Don Wooten of Rock Island.

Asked whether the eight were acting on behalf of Gov. Daniel Walker to block Partee's election, Bruce said, "Absolutely not. I am not part of a Walker faction or any other faction."

Partee immediately issued a statement outlining plans to abolish absentee voting in committees and a proposal for limited joint rules with the House.

He also said he would recommend a timetable for introduction and processing of bills in an attempt to avoid the logjam of legislation that traditionally occurs at the end of the spring session.

Sen. William C. Harris, R-Pontiac, the outgoing Senate President, was elected leader of the Republicans who are in the minority by a 34-25 margin.

In addition to Bruce, Partee named Sens. James H. Donnewald of Breese and Philip J. Rock of Chicago as assistant majority leaders. Both had served under Partee as assistant minority leaders in the 1973-74 session.

Harris reappointed Sens. John A. Graham of Barrington and Howard R. Mohr of Forest Park as his assistant minority leaders.

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Record inventory of new cars plagues dealers, workers

DETROIT (AP) — Despite unprecedented production cutbacks, the nation's car dealers are still plagued with a record inventory of unsold new models, auto analysts say.

The traffic jam of new cars is more bad news for America's auto workers. About 280,000 of them will be on layoff for some or all of January because of the industry's longest sales slump in 30 years.

The inventories also mean continued pressure on the big auto companies to rollback the major increases they made in sticker prices for the 1975 models.

Analysts within and outside the industry estimate the buregoning supply of cars waiting for buyers would keep dealers in stock for between 93 and 98 days, based on December's lethargic selling rate.

"That's a record for any time," said Arvid Jouppi of Deerfield and Charles Co. in New York.

December normally is the slowest selling month of the year, but at least one analyst predicts another bad sales month will keep the inventory at 90 days or more at the end of January.

Chrysler Corp. and American Motors are stuck with the most burdensome supplies, the analysts say. Chrysler's dealer inventory is estimated at between four months and 138 days. AMC is said to be saddled with between 112 and 124 days' worth of cars.

The industrywide supply, put at between 1.65 million and 1.68 million vehicles, does not include thousands of autos the car companies are stockpiling in vacant assembly plant lots while waiting for dealer orders to arrive.

The record inventory is about double the supply which analysts say is safe for the industry. "Ideally you want a 45-day supply. When you get up to 55 to 60 days it starts getting troublesome," Jouppi said.

Another analyst said the industry is used to an average 60-day supply. "They (the companies) don't like 70 days, and anything over 80 is too much."

Concern over Chrysler's huge supply of unsold models has led the company to offer cash rebates of up to $400 to new car buyers in a five-week promotion beginning Monday.

Jouppi said Chrysler, the first auto firm to make a substantial cut in new model prices, was forced into the action to help dealers unclutter their overcrowded showrooms.

The auto industry had 1.73 million cars on hand at the end of November. They translated into a then-record 85-day supply, however, because the daily sales pace at the time was brisker than in December.

In December 1973, the inventory stood at 70 days.

Sales last month were off 25 per cent from a year earlier and the second lowest for the month in 15 years. Sales for 1974 fell 23 per cent from 1973.

The companies have sought to reduce their mounting stockpiles by closing plants, trimming production and laying off workers. January layoffs will affect 40 per cent of the industry's 678,000 blue collar workers. About 150,000 face open-ended layoffs.

Chrysler's inventory compares with an 88-day supply at this time a year ago. AMC's supply compares with a 44-day inventory in December 1973.

Ford Motor Co.'s inventory is estimated at 95 to 100 days, and General Motors has a stockpile that would last 80 to 87 days.

Wanted Armed Robbery
Dixon, Illinois

Description:
W/M
Approx. 6'
Stocky build
Wearing:
Dark stocking cap
Dark thigh length coat

Displayed medium length blue steel automatic.

ROBBERY SUSPECT— This updated police composite was released today. The man depicted, in his late twenties and approximately six feet tall, is wanted in connection with three robberies, two of them in Dixon. A man matching his description took money from Gibson's Discount Center and Jerry's Korner Market. At the time of the offense he was wearing a dark stocking cap and a dark coat. Anyone knowing the above described man is asked to contact the Dixon Police Department, Detective Division.

SVC chorus to begin rehearsal

The Sauk Valley College Community Chorus will begin rehearsing Johann Sebastian Bach's "St. Luke Passion" at 8 p.m. Tuesday in the rehearsal room of the Music Department at SVC.

Max Guinnup, chorus director, said that Bach, during his life, composed five complete settings of "The Passion." Only two of these versions are familiar to us today—the "Saint John" and the "Saint Matthew Passions." The third, "The Passion According to Saint Luke," differs in a number of respects from the "John" and "Matthew Passions" and, according to Guinnup, would appear to be a much earlier setting.

The work is predominantly in the "old" style, leaning heavily on the use of chorales and employing relatively few lyric and dramatic arias and choruses. The arias and the choruses are not lacking in the power and the individuality characteristic of Bach's finest cantatas from his early years.

As accustomed as we are to J. S. Bach's music and as unaccustomed as we are to hearing the "St. Luke Passion," Guinnup said that such beauty as found in the familiar "Passion of St. John" and the "Saint Matthew" may be found in abundance in this fresh and remarkable score which encompasses consistent dramatic interest together with rich melodic variety.

Membership in the community chorus is again open to anyone 18 years of age and older who enjoys group singing. A membership fee of $5 is assessed to cover costs of any participant who does not want college credit. Any college student who wishes to belong may also join by registering for credit in MUS 106 or by paying the above membership fee. Call 288-5511, Sauk Valley College, extension 258 or 275 for further information.

Chamber officers New officers elected to the Dixon Chamber of Commerce are, from left, Ed Evett, second vice president; Don Lovett, past president; Jim Burke, president, and Tom Williams, first vice president. (Telegraph Photo)

Agriculture Department favors boost in milk price guarantee for farmers

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Agriculture Department is looking with some favor on a request by dairy cooperatives for a public hearing on a proposal to boost the government's minimum price guaranteed farmers for milk sold on the fluid market, the kind on retail shelves.

John C. Blum, associate administrator of the department's Agricultural Marketing Service, said late Wednesday he favored holding the hearing requested by the National Milk Producers Federation and will urge his superiors to schedule it soon.

The federation wants USDA to put a higher minimum floor price in the government's formula used to compute what farmers get for Class I milk sold for fluid purposes in the nation's 61 federal milk marketing order areas.

Patrick B. Healy, federation secretary, explained the proposal in a letter to Blum and asked the department to schedule a public hearing on it.

President Ford vetoed a bill last Friday which would have boosted the basic federal price support for manufacturing-grade milk an equivalent of about six cents a half-gallon.

On the same day Agriculture Secretary Earl L. Butz announced a compromise boost in the basic milk price support to $7.24 per 100 pounds from $6.57, which had been in effect since last spring. The new rate, which Butz said will stay in place during the coming milk marketing year which runs through March 31, 1976, represented about half the increase vetoed by Ford.

Although the basic support increase — which was specifically for manufacturing-grade milk — will mean some adjustment in Class I milk minimum prices also, that will not take effect until March because of a two-month lag in applying the adjustment formula.

Thus, the federation — which represents milk producer cooperatives nationally — wants USDA to install an artificial floor price in the Class I formula so that producers of that type milk can benefit immediately.

Blum, whose agency handles federal milk price regulations, told a reporter the request for a hearing on the proposal "seems rather a logical adjunct to what was announced last week" involving the higher price support of manufacturing milk, used to make cheese, butter and other products.

The formula price sought by the federation is $7.30 per 100 pounds. That would translate into about $9.40 per 100 pounds of Class I milk beginning Jan. 15 and through all of February.

Sen Gaylord Nelson, D-Wis., says he will introduce a bill to boost the basic milk support to 100 per cent of parity — $9.04 per 100 pounds for manufacturing milk against the vetoed bill's rate of 85 per cent or $7.69 per 100 pounds.

Western states hit by snows

By The Associated Press

A sprawling winter storm dumped heavy snow into the West today, triggered high winds over a wide area and sent up storm watches eastward into the Plains.

Up to a foot of snow fell in mountain areas and valleys of the intermountain region through Wednesday. Travel advisories were in effect for slick snow-covered roads, additional snow and blowing and drifting in portions of Colorado, Wyoming, Utah, New Mexico and California.

A winter storm watch was hoisted for Minnesota, South Dakota, parts of Nebraska, Kansas and Colorado. A heavy-snow warning was out in western Colorado, and a winter storm warning was up in northeast Arizona. Five inches of snow whitened Flagstaff, Ariz., overnight.

Gale warnings flew along the Pacific Coast from northern California through Washington.

Sharply colder temperatures settled in behind the still-developing storm.

Rain splashed over the Eastern Seaboard and spilled inland over the Appalachians as well. Fog thickened in parts of the South before daybreak.

Fair weather remained a scarcity. Skies cleared along portions of the Pacific Coast and in scattered areas from Texas to Tennessee.

Unseasonable mildness clung to the eastern third of the country, maintaining overnight temperatures in the 40s as far north as New York and Pennsylvania.

Temperatures before dawn ranged from -2 at Cut Bank, Mont., to 75 at Key West, Fla.

Some other reports: Anchorage -1) clear, Atlanta 47 fog, Boston 39 cloudy, Buffalo 42 rain, Chicago 35 cloudy, Cincinnati 37 cloudy, Cleveland 43 rain, Dallas 50 clear, Denver 24 mostly cloudy, Detroit 39 cloudy, Honolulu 71 rain, Indianapolis 39 cloudy, Kansas City 29 clear, Los Angeles 50 clear, Louisville 41 cloudy, Miami 72 clear, Minneapolis-St. Paul 26 freezing drizzle, Nashville 24 clear, New York 47 rain, Philadelphia 49 rain, Phoenix 57 mostly cloudy, Pittsburgh 47 rain, St. Louis 36 cloudy, San Francisco 44 clear, Seattle 31 mostly clear, Washington 46 rain.

Sauk real estate course gets okay

A course entitled "Real Estate Transactions," Sauk Valley College's first offering in the real estate field, recently received state approval and will be taught at SVC on Monday nights this spring semester beginning January 20.

Dr. Ron Williams, dean of Career Education, said the course has been designed to provide a basic study of real estate principles including those needed by a student to pass the sales portion of the Illinois Real Estate licensing examination.

Only one class will be offered this spring although Dr. Williams said it is the first in what Sauk Valley hopes will become a series of real estate courses designed to train brokers and practitioners in the real estate field.

The class, which will meet in Room 2C10 at 7 p.m., is entitled Real Estate Transactions (BUS 240). The tuition for this three credit course will be $42. It will be taught by Frank Baracani, an officer with First Federal Savings & Loan Association in Dixon.

Interested persons may register for the class this week or on the first class meeting night Monday evening. Late registrations for this course and all other spring semester classes at SVC will be accepted from Monday through Jan. 24.

Sheriff's deputy position open

Application for the Lee County Sheriff's Deputy position can now be picked up at the Sheriff's office according to Lee County Sheriff Ray Nehring.

The applications may be picked up between 7 a.m. and 5 p.m. and must be returned to the Sheriff's office by 5 p.m. Jan. 20. The test for the Lee County Deputy position will be given at 7 p.m. Jan 20 at the Lee County Courthouse.

Nabbed by deputies

David D. Moore, 25, Ashton, was arrested and charged on two counts Wednesday night by Lee County Sheriff's Deputies.

Moore was charged with no valid driver's license and speeding, after authorities stopped his car on Ill. 38 in Ashton. Moore has posted bond and will appear in court Jan. 21.

People in the news

NASHVILLE, Tenn. (AP) — Country singer Tammy Wynette, who made the hit recordings "Stand By Your Man" and "D-I-V-O-R-C-E," has filed for divorce from singer George Jones on grounds of cruelty.

Miss Wynette, 32, and Jones, 43, were married in 1969 and made professional appearances together frequently, producing such top country recordings as "We're Gonna Hold On (To Each Other)," "We Go Together" and "We Can Make It." Both are members of the Grand Ole Opry.

Miss Wynette filed for a legal separation 16 months ago, but she and Jones reconciled less than a month later.

On Wednesday, court officials said she asked for custody of the couple's 5-year-old daughter.

WASHINGTON (AP) — Betty S. Murphy is being nominated by President Ford as the first female member of the National Labor Relations Board, and the President says he will designate her chairman if the nomination is confirmed by the Senate.

Miss Murphy, 46, is a former NLRB attorney and has been administrator of the Labor Department's Wage and Hours Division.

MAR DEL PLATA, Argentina (AP) — President Isabel Peron, accompanied by a host of government officials including Social Welfare Minister Jose Lopez Rega, has arrived at this seaside resort for a working vacation. It was not announced how long Mrs. Peron would remain here, but sources estimated she would spend about two weeks at the Chapadmalal Government Tourist Retreat about 250 miles south of Buenos Aires.

ACCRA, Ghana (AP) — The most important things for a woman to have are a good husband, children and a harmonious home life, U.S. Ambassador to Ghana Shirley Temple Black told women at an Accra market.

The former child movie star added in her comments Wednesday that women should also have the opportunity to work, if possible.

Two-car crash

MT. MORRIS— Mt. Morris Police investigated a two-car accident Tuesday afternoon at the corner of Hitt St. and Seminary Ave.

Darcy J. Schelling, 203½ E. Center St., was traveling west in his Ford Maverick on Hitt St., when he struck the rear of an auto driven by Mindy M. Mearns, 110 Carr Court, also traveling west on Hitt St., police said. The Mearns vehicle was attempting to make a left turn onto Seminary Ave., when her car was struck.

Minor damage was done to the Mearns vehicle and extensive front end damage was reported to the Schelling car. There were no injuries.

Polo man cited in car crash

Emil Sikula, 54, Polo, was arrested by Dixon Police Wednesday, following an accident at Galena Avenue and River Street.

Sikula was charged after the car he was driving struck the rear of an auto driven by Robert Mull, 33, 709 E. Graham. Both vehicles were southbound on Galena at the time of the collision. Sikula told police his foot slipped off the brake onto the accelerator.

Sikula was charged with failure to reduce speed to avoid an accident.

Arrested twice on same charge

Jack L. Thomas, 22, 927 Grant Ave., was arrested twice Wednesday night and charged with disorderly conduct.

Both charges stemmed from incidents at the Palms Tavern when Thomas was asked to leave and refused.

Thomas has posted bond for both charges and will appear in court Jan. 23.

Rochelle Hospital

Admitted: Jan. 8 — Mrs. Michael Summers, Steward; Mrs. Henry Cote, Miss Crystal Cutshaw, Miss Susan Reynolds, Mrs. Ruby Stewart, Master Carlos Mata, Miss Sylvia Mata, and Leonard Bonnell, all of Rochelle.

Discharged: Miss Jennifer Wyrich, Ashton; the Rev. Wayne Musson, Walter Britton, and Mrs. Thelma Taylor, all of Rochelle.

Claims deadline

Claims to be presented at the Tuesday meeting of the Lee County Board must be filed in the office of John E. Stouffer, county clerk, by 5 p.m. tonight.

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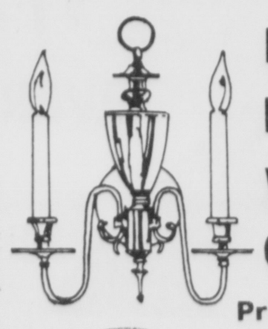

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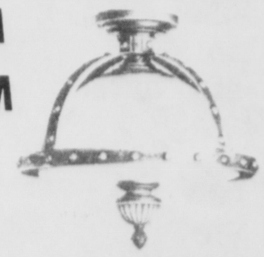

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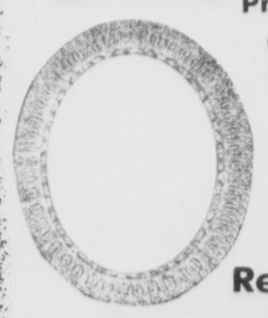

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DMZ meetings go on despite scene

PANMUNJOM, Korea (AP) — Hot war, cold war and now during detente, the Americans still meet briefly every day with North Koreans at this truce site in the bleak Korean demilitarized zone.

And every month or so the American-led United Nations Command or the Communist side calls a full-dress meeting of the Military Armistice Commission made up of the nations which fought in the 1950-53 war.

The meetings at this isolated collection of metal buildings where the armistice was signed usually turn into a propaganda forum with one side denouncing the other for alleged violations of the 22-year-old agreement.

Despite their drawbacks, the meetings remain the main negotiating channel for Washington and Seoul in their dealings with North Korea, one of the most hardline of the Communist nations. Presumably the years of talking have contributed to keeping the peace.

Panmunjom has become a tourist attraction and is the one place visitors can see North Korean soldiers and get a glimpse of the uninhabited demilitarized zone. About 20,000 visitors took the 35-mile bus ride north from Seoul last year to visit the negotiating site.

"While Panmunjom has never accomplished much substantial," a U.N. Command officer recently said, "at the same time it has been effective in that we have talked.

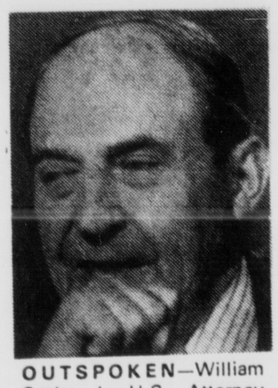
For many people around the world the name Panmunjom came to symbolize the frustrating business of negotiating with Communist nations during the cold war era. Thousands of soldiers on opposing sides were killed during the two years of talking before a truce was agreed upon in July 1953.

During those two years of talking the battle lines stabilized, but Americans continued to die at such remote spots as "Pork Chop Hill," "Old Baldy," and "Heartbreak Ridge."

Eventually an armistice was arranged at Panmunjom. It came after the Communists agreed with the U.N. Command that North Korean and Chinese prisoners of war held in the South would have a choice in whether to return home.

Panmunjom grabbed world attention again in 1968 when it was the site of negotiations for return of the imprisoned crew of the U.S. intelligence ship Pueblo seized by North Korea. The seamen came south across the "Bridge of No Return" to freedom at Panmunjom.

The negotiating site now has become the center for Red Cross and direct low-level governmental talks between North and South Korea. The talks are stalemated, but the eventual goal is unification of the divided Korean peninsula.



OUTSPOKEN—William Saxbe is U.S. Attorney General who is known as a man who speaks his mind. Before becoming a cabinet officer, he was a Senator from Ohio. He's a Republican.

Setting own hours improves morale

STAMFORD, Conn. (AP) — Allowing clerical workers to set their own work hours each week improves employe morale and reduces absenteeism, says a large firm who has tried it.

Pitney Bowes, a manufacturer of business equipment, experimented with the concept among more than 250 of its employes late last year and now plans to expand the program.

"It's destroyed the old adage that people don't work if you don't watch them carefully," said Jerome Perrone, manager of policies and practices who directed the experiment.

The program, which is rare in Connecticut but is winning some acceptance elsewhere, is working out so well at Pitney Bowes it probably will be extended to two or three times the current 250 participants, according to James L. Turrentine, vice president for employe relations.

"I see this as part of a general trend business is coming to," he said. "It is one way of acknowledging that employes are grown up."

A three-month test of the flexible-time program produced an "overwhelmingly positive" acceptance by employes and supervisors alike, Perrone said.

Flexible time allows employes considerable freedom in setting their schedules from day to day during the regular five-day work week.

They may start any time after 7 a.m. and may work up to 6 p.m. The only time they must be on the job is during the so-called "come period" of each day, that busy time when each department needs its full staff.

Flexible time allows employes to put in more than the regular 7½ hours one day and have the corresponding time off another day to shop, go fishing, tend children at home or anything else.

"Lateness with this kind of program literally becomes nonexistent," Perrone said.

Each employe merely begins his or her workday on arrival by using a personal plastic "key" to start a clock-like timing device designed for the program by a New Jersey firm.

The desktop device records only the amount of time the person puts in during the week, not the daily amount.

During the trial period, Pitney Bowes found participants were absent less often, on the average of one hour per employe each month.

At that rate, extending the program to 2,000 employes earning the hourly average wage of $4.15 would save the company nearly $100,000 in three months, Perrone said.

A survey of participants showed 98 of them used schedule changes for leisure time, 92 to attend to personal business, 46 to avoid rush-hour congestion and 32 to spend more time with their families.

"Most people, believe it or not, will work their regular schedules anyway," Perrone said, adding that the important factor is their freedom to rearrange their schedule if they wish.

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London tour nostalgic trip to Victorian days

By JAMES R. PEIPERT
Associated Press Writer

LONDON (AP) — With Britannia hard-pressed to stay afloat, much less rule the waves, Dennis Severs and his horse, Mecklenburg-Strelitz, capitalize on nostalgia for a lost empire.

Severs, from Escondido, Calif., runs carriage tours through London back streets that have changed little since Queen Victoria presided over an empire that embraced nearly a third of the earth's land surface.

"Each tour is guaranteed to leave you mourning an empire that ended too soon," predicts his advertising brochure in these times of rampant inflation, labor unrest and complaints about a decline in the quality of life.

"If you admire English history at all you can't help be sort of awed by the Victorians," Severs, 25, said in an interview. "It was the most dynamic and yet most civilized part of English history — always thought of as being very vulgar and awful but now coming into its own again."

Severs calls his 1850s Sefton carriage — which he rescued from an Essex barn and restored — a "time machine" that takes his passengers back to when "the sun never set on the British Empire and they sang about their nation as the land of hope and glory and the mother of the free."

Both Severs and his coachman, 23-year-old Briton Antony Withers, a dropout from an executive trainee program, wear top hats and Prince Albert coats for the 1½-hour tours spiced with gossipy anecdotes about the era.

Severs said most of his customers during the three years he has run the tours have been English or American — some nostalgic for empire days, some wanting to see the England they read about as children, or simply wanting to avoid hordes of other tourists.

Severs said he has noted among the English the onset of "apathy, fear and nostalgia" since he came here for a visit 10 years ago, paid two return visits and then decided to stay.

Severs avoids London's busy thoroughfares and concentrates on what he calls the "hidden city" — quiet streets of Georgian, Regency and Victorian townhouses and the tree-filled squares never far away. But occasionally a main street is unavoidable.

"There's the London everyone knows," Severs said as Mecklenburg-Strelitz clipclopped across busy Cromwell Road, near the West London air terminal and dozens of hotels, and passed by an all-night Kentucky fried chicken parlor.

"But all we have to do is turn to the right or to the left and we're back in the Victorian era. It's not going to throw itself at you. It's a city entirely hidden and wishes, of course, to remain so."

Some of the neighborhoods have changed so little over the years little imagination is needed to conjure Phileas Fogg racing to Pall Mall to collect his bet after girdling the globe in 80 days or Beatrix Potter sitting in a garden telling children about Peter Rabbit and Jemima Puddleduck.

As the carriage sedately passed imposing rows of white townhouses in fashionable Kensington, Severs told his passengers:

"Remember it was in these very morning rooms that they picked up their newspapers to find that President Lincoln had been assassinated in Washington, to read about the charge of the Light Brigade and Florence Nightingale, about 'Dr. Livingstone, I presume,' and, of course, the great mobs of men moving through the narrow lanes of the east end of London with torches in search of Jack the Ripper."

These were the days when London was the capital of a far-flung empire, Severs said. "It was the workshop of the world, the chief merchant, the insurance underwriter, the banker, the creditor, the shipbuilder and freight carrier.

"In the drawing rooms the ladies were discussing the price of crinoline and the mistresses of the Prince of Wales," Severs continued.

"All that hard work, all the enterprise and greatness of the Victorian era came to a peak on one day in 1897 when Queen Victoria celebrated her diamond jubilee — 60 years on the throne," Severs said.

Four years later, in 1901, she died. And some superstitious Englishmen point out, Severs said, that "13 years after her death the world went to war.

Inmates named in '72 slayings

BENTON, Ill. (AP) — A Franklin County grand jury has indicted two Chicago men for the 1972 slaying of a Southern Illinois University student.

Reuben Taylor and Michael Clark were accused Tuesday of murdering Michael Gerchenson, 19, of Highland Park, an SIU sophomore. Gerchenson's body was found beside Interstate 57 near Benton.

Taylor and Clark already are serving lengthy prison terms on other charges. A third man believed connected with the slaying, Edward Moran, was found dead in a Waukegan jail cell last year.

Clark and Taylor are accused of murder, armed robbery and kidnapping in Tuesday's indictments.

In other action, the grand jury indicted Russell Bryant, a county sheriff's deputy, for alleged bribery and official misconduct and Mrs. Barbara Reeves of Whittington, with murdering her husband.

Bryant is accused of accepting $400 for his intercession in a criminal case and of pocketing $400 entrusted to him for repayment of a theft victim.

Mrs. Reeves allegedly shot her husband, Charles, on a Benton street Aug. 21, 1974.

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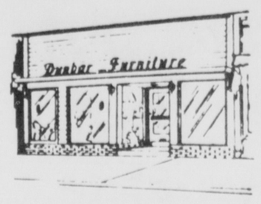

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Green Stripe Velvet	$399.00	$299.00
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Decorator High Back	$129.50	$99.50
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High Style Stripe	$239.50	$189.50
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CHAIRS
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Consumers have put their almighty foot down, ask Chrysler

NEW YORK (AP) — During the past few years of economic disruption many people thought it best to anticipate more of the worst. Prices would continue to rise, values would erode, jobs would become insecure, debt would rise.

This was a new world of bad problems that didn't respond to old remedies. Economic laws, especially supply and demand, were suspended, it was said. Anything was possible, but the worst was likely to prevail.

But now that the worst is happening — a deep recession accompanied by sharply higher prices — you begin to detect, barely, some of the corrective pressures being exerted from those old rules of the market place.

Supply and demand? While prices continue to rise there is growing evidence that the law still breathes and that it isn't going to expire either.

Raw material prices have been dropping. Purchasing agents report the price cutting is becoming common. Retail merchants are offering sales, as they find themselves with clogged shops and resistant buyers.

While it looked for a while that the consumer would continue to chase prices to the sky, even going into debt to do so, it is obvious now that they have put their foot down. Ask Chrysler Corp. about that.

Chrysler, and for a time all the auto makers, were convinced they could continue at maximum production despite price increases. But the public drew the line, inventories piled up, and price cuts now seem inevitable.

Thus the law, which states that prices tend to fall as supply exceeds demand, seems to be exerting itself. But what about the belief that lower prices induce more demand? For auto makers it remains to be demonstrated.

Ford Motor Co. experimented with lower prices last fall but found the response weak, leading some marketing men to conclude that the prices weren't low enough or that the market had been wrung dry of sales for months ahead.

While the failure of consumers to respond quickly to lower prices by Ford casts some doubt on the economic maxim, consumers are proving another point: they do have common sense in regard to credit. Some observers were beginning to wonder.

A rising rate of payment delinquencies and bankruptcies has begun to sound alarm bells among some leaders. It is no secret that many Americans preferred to borrow money to maintain their standard of living rather than cut back.

A more sensible, cautious attitude now seems to prevail, even though many individuals and businesses are badly overextended. In November, the reduction of credit outstanding was the largest on record for one month, some $402 million.

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Jesuit is teacher, chaplain and dealer

LOS ANGELES (AP) — From the chapel to the classroom to the blackjack table, Father Thomas Higgins, a Jesuit priest, carries his message to the people.

Higgins, 42, is assistant chaplain and professor at Loyola Marymount University in suburban Westchester. During the summer months he works as a blackjack dealer in Las Vegas.

In a recent interview at the university, Higgins said: "You can't preach Christ if your experience is entirely different from that of other people.

"If priests were cab drivers or bus drivers or if they took different jobs, they would be much more all kinds of people."

He has lived in hotels where rooms rent for $3 for two nights and where, he says: "It seemed like I was the only guy without a tattoo."

"I learned a lot about myself," the priest said. "I want to expand my horizons. I never want to stop growing."

Higgins worked the graveyard shift at the Royal Inn Casino. His customers sometimes would get his good counsel, although they seldom found out that the man behind the red satin tie was a priest.

"Sometimes I tell people: 'You're drunk. Why don't you go home. You're going to drop your whole load,'" Higgins said.

Higgins says that he does not fit the popular image of a Jesuit priest. But that does not seem to bother him.

"The image of priests and nuns are that they are detached and aloof," he said. "If you're detached and aloof, what good are you?"

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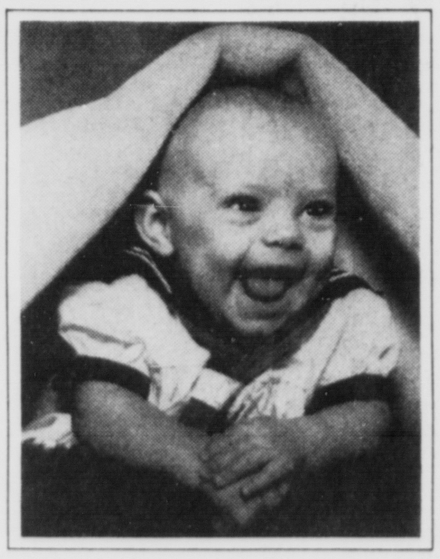

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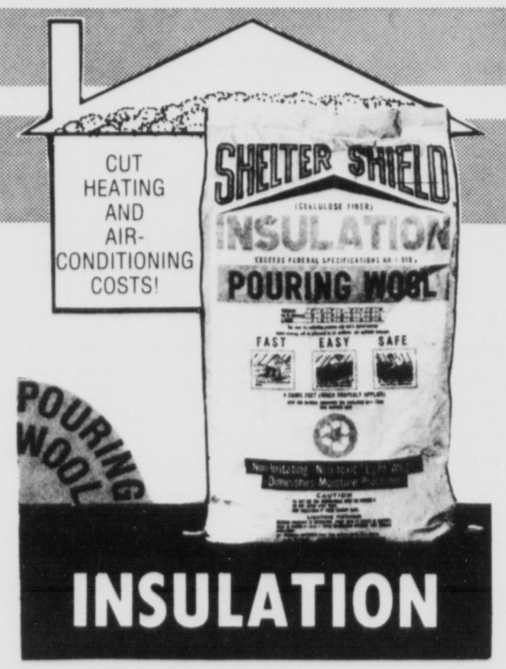

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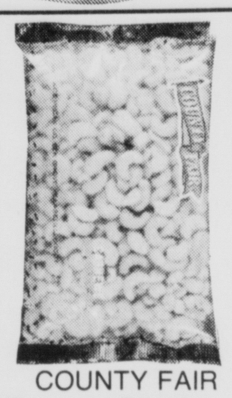

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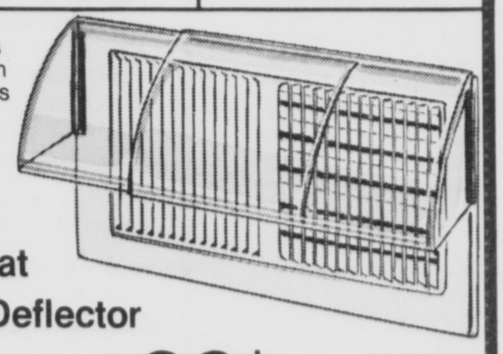

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Pro standings

By The Associated Press

NHL

Division 1

	W	L	T	Pts	GF	GA
Philphia	25	8	6	56	142	81
NY Rangrs	20	11	8	48	167	124
Atlanta	19	15	7	45	115	112
NY Island	16	15	9	41	135	113

Division 2

Vancvr	22	14	5	49	148	128
Chicago	18	18	4	40	140	120
St. Louis	16	18	6	38	132	141
Minn.	11	24	5	27	107	176
K. City	7	28	4	18	93	170

Division 3

Montreal	22	6	113	57	183	115
L.A.	21	6	12	54	121	75
Pitts.	14	17	8	36	157	151
Detroit	10	22	6	26	108	151
Washtn	3	33	5	11	83	219

Division 4

Buffalo	25	8	6	56	173	125
Boston	22	10	7	51	188	121
Toronto	14	18	7	35	136	153
Calif.	11	24	8	30	115	169

Wednesday's Results

New York Rangers 6, Kansas City 1
Atlanta 3, California 2
Montreal 4, Detroit 4, tie
Chicago 7, Pittsburgh 5
Los Angeles 4, Minnesota 2
Toronto 6, Vancouver 4

Thursday's Games

New York Islanders at Philadelphia
Los Angeles at Buffalo
Vancouver at Boston

Friday's Game

Pittsburgh at Atlanta

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East Division

	W	L	T	Pts	GF	GA
New Eng.	21	15	1	43	135	132
Clvlnd	14	20	2	30	99	117
Chicago	14	21	1	29	118	137
Indapols	7	31	2	16	89	172

West Division

Houston	26	11	0	52	120	104
Phoenix	19	14	4	42	127	117
Minn.	19	17	0	38	156	129
San Diego	18	17	1	37	117	121
Mich.	12	25	3	27	99	168

Canadian Division

Quebec	23	15	0	46	151	129
Toronto	21	16	1	43	160	139
Edm'ton	18	11	1	37	113	96
Winnipeg	17	14	2	36	132	105
Vancvr	16	18	2	34	109	113

Wednesday's Result

Quebec 4, Vancouver 3

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Winnipeg at Michigan
Minnesota at Edmonton
New England at Phoenix

Friday's Games

Indianapolis at Edmonton
Vancouver at Cleveland
Quebec at Winnipeg
San Diego at Toronto
Michigan at Chicago

Toronto has trouble

By The Associated Press

The Toronto Maple Leafs had some trouble on their hands Wednesday night, but didn't have to call a cop. They had their own policeman — Lanny McDonald.

The speedy right winger has become the Maple Leafs' most aggressive checker in recent games and helped blow the whistle again when the Vancouver Canucks started to get tough.

"There's no way we're going to be chased out of our own rink," McDonald said after a fight-punctuated, 6-4 National Hockey League victory.

The game started out with a bang in the first period when Toronto's Dave "Tiger" Williams tangled with Vancouver's John Grisdale. Then two major battles broke out in the third period.

McDonald took on Vancouver's Ron Sedlbauer in one match and Toronto defenseman Brian Glennie got the worst of a fight with the Canucks' Greg Boddy. Dave Dunn also earned a game misconduct by going to Glennie's aid.

In the other NHL games, the Chicago Black Hawks beat the Pittsburgh Penguins 7-5; the Los Angeles Kings beat the Minnesota North Stars 4-2; the Atlanta Flames trimmed the California Golden Seals 3-2; the Montreal Canadiens played a 4-4 tie with the Detroit Red Wings and the New York Rangers stopped the Kansas City Scouts 6-1.

In the only World Hockey Association game, the Quebec Nordiques nipped the Vancouver Blazers 4-3.

Bill Flett triggered a three-goal explosion in the second period to help Toronto beat Vancouver. Flett's goal broke a 1-1 tie and Inge Hammarstrom and McDonald followed with scoring shots to help the Maple Leafs forge a 4-1 lead they never lost.

The victory marked the first time since Feb. 28, 1973 that the Maple Leafs have beaten the expansion Canucks. The Leafs had only one tie in eight games since that time before Wednesday night.

Black Hawks 7, Penguins 5

Defenseman John Marks scored twice and assisted on a third goal and scoring leader Stan Mikita passed the 1,200-point mark as Chicago defeated Pittsburgh.

Kings 4, North Stars 2

Three second-period goals, including two by Butch Goring, led sharpshooting Los Angeles over Minnesota.

Flames 3, Golden Seals 2

Jacques Richard slapped in his eighth goal in 10 games and had two assishs to lead Atlanta over California. The victory extended the Flames' unbeaten streak to eight games, a new club record.

Canadiens 4, Wings 4

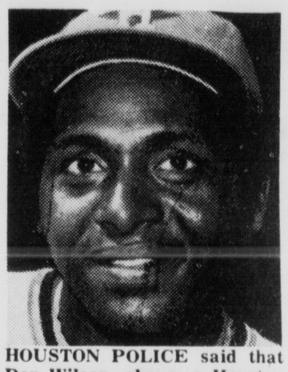
Serge Savard's goal with 4:43 left to play gave Montreal its tie with Detroit as ths Canadiens extended their National Hockey League unbeaten streak to 18 games.

Rangers 6, Scouts 1

Defenseman Brad Park scored three goals in the first 27 minutes as New York won its seventh straight game with an easy decision over Kansas City.

Nordiques 4, Blazers 3

Serge Benisr scored his 29th goal of the season late in the third period to send Quebec over Vancouver.



HOUSTON POLICE said that Don Wilson, above, a Houston Astros pitcher, was found dead at his home in Houston, along with his son Alexander, 5. Wilson's wife and daughter were reported hospitalized. Police reported the house was filled with carbon monoxide and Wilson's car, in which he was found, had run in the closed garage until it was out of fuel. (AP Wirephoto)

Hunter guards his wallet

NEW YORK (AP) — Although Catfish Hunter has been welcomed to the big city with open arms, this country slicker from North Carolina is aware that some of those arms can go right for the wallet while others may reach for the throat.

"In 1965 I was scared to go out of my room," Hunter said Wednesday during a whirlwind tour that included an appearance on a national television program, a photographic session at Shea Stadium and interviews with the press at a midtown hotel. "Now, I'm scared to go into my room."

Among other things, Hunter flew into New York, at the Yankees expense, to introduce himself to the members of the press who didn't attend his New Year's Eve contract-signing party.

Hunter said he made up his mind to sign with the Yankees the night of Dec. 30. The next morning, Hunter told his wife that she would probably be a Yankee wife as he expected to sign a contract sometime that day in New York.

"Give me a call," she said as he walked out the door.

But Hunter's firm decision had weakened a bit Tuesday night, when he left the details up to the lawyers, who then spent several hours acting like lawyers.

But the lawyers soon ended their fillibuster and Hunter, who said "he would have rather been anywhere else," affixed his Catfish Hunter on the Yankees dotted line.

Hunter wouldn't reveal the money package, saying "that was up to the Yankees" to disclose, but he did say in terms of straight annual salary, he wasn't making as much money "as five or six other pitchers."

Hunter, who became a free agent because Oakland owner Charles O. Finley didn't come across with a deferred $50,000 payment, is aware that there are a lot of people in this city who are after a deferred payment of their own — from the Yankees, to Hunter, to them.

But if Hunter can handle hustlers in his native Hertford, he'll do okay here.

Sports shorts

CHICAGO (AP) — The Chicago Cubs announced the signing of four more players Wednesday, bringing to 11 the number in the fold for 1975.

Agreeing to terms were pitchers Herb Hutson, Jim Krimmel and Willie Prall, and infielder Rob Sperring.

At Wichita in 1974, Hutson had a 9-4 record, Krimmell 8-6 and Prall 4-12.

Sperring batted .253 for Wichita and in 23 games at second base for the Cubs he hit .206.

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Don Coryell, coach of the National Football League's St. Louis Cardinals, has been named the Associated Press Coach of the Year. He is shown here with his family at home in St. Louis. From left they are: his daughter Mindy, his son Mike, and his wife Aliisa. The selection was made by the nation's sports writers and sportscasters. (AP Wirephoto)

Coach of the year

In the National Football League

Stabler named Most Valuable

By HAL BOCK
AP Sports Writer

NEW ORLEANS (AP) — Quarterback Ken Stabler of the Oakland Raiders was named the National Football League's Most Valuable Player for the 1974 season by The Associated Press today.

Stabler, who earlier this week was named the Offensive Player of the Year, also heads the All-Pro team announced Wednesday.

A left-hander who led the NFL with 25 touchdown passes during the regular season, Stabler was an easy winner in the AP poll of sports writers and broadcasters who cover the NFL. He received 36 of a possible 78 votes, easily outdistancing Terry Metcalf of the St. Louis Cardinals, who was second with 10. Minnesota's Chuck Foreman finished third with five.

Stabler led the Raiders to the American Conference Western Division championship, completing 57.4 per cent of his passes for 1,469 yards. Then he piloted Oakland past Miami in the opening round of the playoffs, eliminating the defending champions on a touchdown pass in the final minute of the game. A week later, the Raiders lost the AFC championship game to the Pittsburgh Steelers.

A graduate of the University of Alabama where he learned his football under Bear Bryant, Stabler was the Raiders' second round draft selection in 1968. He was a reserve until 1973, starting only two games.

In 1973, he won the Oakland quarterback job from Daryle Lamonica, taking over in the season's third game and starting the last 11. Under Stabler, the Raiders were 9-2-1 that year and then 12-2 this season.

Joining him in the All-Pro backfield are running backs Otis Armstrong of Denver and O.J. Simpson of Buffalo. Armstrong was the NFL rushing champion with 1,407 yards and Simpson gained 1,125. Simpson, last year's MVP when he set an NFL rushing record with 2,003 yards, received just one MVP vote this season.

The All-Pro wide receivers were Oakland's Cliff Branch and Drew Pearson of Dallas with Denver's Riley Odoms named at tight end. The rest of the offensive line had tackles Ron Yary of Minnesota and Art Shell of Oakland, guards Larry Little of Miami and Gene Upshaw of Oakland and center Jim Langer of Miami.

On defense, the All-Pro front four had Minnesota's Alan Page, Jack Youngblood of Los Angeles and Pittsburgh teammates L. C. Greenwood and Joe Green, the Defensive Player of the Year. Green Bay's Ted Hendricks, Bill Bergey of Philadelphia and Pittsburgh's Jack Ham were the linebackers chosen with Jake Scott of Miami and Tony Greene of Buffalo the safeties and Robert James of Buffalo and Kansas City's Emmitt Thomas the cornerbacks.

NEW ORLEANS (AP) — Here is The Associated Press All-Pro National Football League team for the 1974-75 season:

FIRST TEAM

Offense

Wide Receivers—Cliff Branch, Oakland; Drew Pearson, Dallas.

Tight End—Riley Odoms, Denver.

Tackles—Ron Yary, Minnesota; Art Shell, Oakland.

Guards—Gene Upshaw, Oakland; Larry Little, Miami.

Center—Jim Langer, Miami.

Quarterback—Ken Stabler, Oakland.

Running Backs—Otis Armstrong, Denver; O.J. Simpson, Buffalo.

Place Kicker—Chester Marcol, Green Bay.

Defense

Ends—L.C. Greenwood, Pittsburgh; Jack Youngblood, Los Angeles.

Tackles—Alan Page, Minnesota; Joe Greene, Pittsburgh.

Linebackers—Jack Ham, Pittsburgh; Ted Hendricks, Green Bay; Bill Bergey, Philadelphia.

Safeties—Jake Scott, Miami; Tony Greene, Buffalo.

Cornerbacks—Emmitt Thomas, Kansas City; Robert James, Buffalo.

SECOND TEAM

Offense

Wide Receivers—Issac Curtis, Cincinnati; Charley Taylor, Washington.

Tight End—Charles Young, Philadelphia.

Tackles—Rayfield Wright, Dallas; Dan Dierdorf, St. Louis.

Guards—Tom Mack, Los Angeles; Reggie McKenzie, Buffalo.

Center—Len Hauss, Washington.

Quarterback—Jim Hart, St. Louis.

Running Backs—Lawrence McCutcheon, Los Angeles; Chuck Foreman, Minnesota.

Place Kicker—Roy Gerela, Pittsburgh.

Defense

Ends—Fred Dryer, Los Angeles; Claude Humphrey, Atlanta.

Tackles—Wally Chambers, Chicago; Otis Sistrunk, Oakland.

Linebackers—Chris Hanburger, Washington; Isiah Robertson, Los Angeles; Willie Lanier, Kansas City.

Safeties—Jack Tatum, Oakland; Dick Anderson, Miami.

Cornerbacks—Roger Wehrli, St. Louis; Mike Bass, Washington.

No sparrows but Fran has sore arm

By BRUCE LOWITT
AP Sports Writer

NEW ORLEANS (AP)— Has Coach Bud Grant created another "issue," another smoke-screen to divert attention from the mounting pressures of a Super Bowl game, another way of psyching up his Minnesota Vikings? It looks that way. It appears he's found his new, improved version of "sparrows in the showers," and this time the sparrows seem to be roosting on quarterback Fran Tarkenton's valuable right arm.

Last year, when Super Bowl week was threatened with being enveloped by a mammoth yawn, Grant came up with an issue, what he called the Vikings's less-than-satisfactory practice facilities. Eventually, the whole thing was characterized by Grant's throwaway line about sparrows.

This week, too, was being underwhelmed by the ritualistic pregame practices and news conferences as the Vikings and Pittsburgh Steelers prepared for Super Bowl IX. Only briefly did something newsworthy surface.

First it was the viral infection that has hospitalized Pittsburgh defensive end Dwight White for four straight nights. Then it was Tarkenton's brief verbal swipe at Oakland's Ken Stabler and Miami's Paul Warfield, who had badmouthed both Super Bowl teams. Then it was the calf injury that is likely to keep Minnesota offensive tackle Charles Goodrum out of Sunday's National Football League championship game at Tulane Stadium.

Still, there was no focus for anyone's attention. There were no sparrows. On Monday, someone had asked Grant whether he had some more birds hidden up his sleeve—if he had another issue.

"It's gonna be a long week," he replies, "and if we can think of something, we'll let you know."

On Wednesday, he did . . . or so it would seem. Halfway through the daily briefing session Grant casually mentioned that Tarkenton had a sore arm, much as someone might suggest that it looks like rain.

Perhaps it was merely another throwaway line, merely an observation, but probably not. Grant, like all pro football coaches and clearly more than most, is a tactician, a calculating man, not given to the idle observation, the off-handed remark.

Whatever it was, it worked. The balloon of boredom was burst. Attention was focused. Here, clearly, was an issue to be dealt with.

And Grant was ready to deal with it. "Everytime he gets a sore arm, he has a great day," he said, perhaps trying ever-so-cleverly to throw the Steelers ever-so-slightly off guard. "It's a good omen for us," Grant said. "I think he worries about it and he always seems to throw a little better with it. I'm sure if he's still sore on Sunday, he'll have a great day."

If that's the case, Tarkenton's adrenalin was positively gushing all through the season. "I was hit on the shoulder in the first game of the season and it's bothered me off and on since then," he said. Despite it, he finished among the National Conference's passing leaders with 17 touchdowns and more than 2,500 yards.

But what about the soreness now? Nothing important he replied. "It's a little sore but it's okay."

Dixon wins

OREGON — Ashton upset number-one seeded Byron while Dixon defeated Oregon in the semi-final round of the Oregon High School girls district volleyball tournament Wednesday night.

Ashton, rated number six going into the tournament, romped over Byron 15-4 and 15-7 in the first match of the evening. Dixon then downed Oregon 15-11 and 15-3 to set up the championship contest at 7:30 tonight. The tournament winner will advance to the sectional to be held at Dixon next week.

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SPORTS

NCAA concludes convention with only one resolution

By TOM SEPPY
AP Sports Writer

WASHINGTON (AP) — Despite its cries of anguish about inflation, the National Collegiate Athletic Association has concluded its 69th annual convention without taking any major steps to cut the rising costs of collegiate athletics.

Discussions in formal meetings and in hotel corridors for the past week have centered on the rising costs in sports but the convention, which ended Wednesday enacted only one measure dealing with inflation — a resolution to study the subject.

Under the resolution, the policy-making NCAA Council will convene a meeting by June to examine ways and means of curtailing operating costs through curtailing scholarships, cutting down on the number of coaches and limiting the number of expense-paid visits a high-school athlete can make to a campus.

The convention rejected a major cost-saving item which would have limited athletic scholarships in all sports except football and basketball to tuition and fees.

"Philosophically, this is probably the most unsound piece of legislation ever to go before the NCAA," said Mickey Holmes, commissioner of the Missouri Valley Conference. "This is a new concept, something people aren't used to, but maybe we are being too philosophical instead of being practical."

The convention also rejected proposals that would have prohibited a prospective athlete from making paid visits to more than four schools and would have limited to three the permissible number of in-person, off-campus recruiting contacts with a prospect.

Two other measures aimed at fighting inflation did not even reach the floor before they were withdrawn by their sponsors. One would have extended the football schedule from 11 to 12 games a year and the other would have returned football to the one-platoon system.

A third measure to extend the basketball season from 26 to 27 games also failed to receive the necessary votes for passage.

The convention delegates adopted a measure to prevent colleges from giving summer jobs to athletes who have not yet entered the school but rejected a proposal to prohibit a university from making arrangements for a loan for them.

The delegates did rule that no university or college representative can make contact with a prospect before the student completes his junior year in high school.

Four Bruins picked for All-Star team

MONTREAL (AP) — Boston's Phil Esposito, the National Hockey League's top point producer, and Buffalo's high-scoring "French Connection" line of Gil Perreault, Rene Robert and Rick Martin will give the Divisions 3 and 4 team a potent offensive punch in the NHL All-Star Game Jan. 21 at Montreal.

The four players were among 12 named to the squad in balloting Wednesday by members of the Professional Hockey Writers Association. Of the dozen, four were from Boston, three each from Buffalo and Montreal, and two from Los Angeles.

Boston players picked, in addition to Esposito, were defensemen Bobby Orr and Carol Vadnais, and forward Johnny Bucyk. The Montreal representatives were goalie Ken Dryden, defenseman Guy Lapointe and right wing Guy Lafleur. And chosen from Los Angeles were goalie Rogatien Vachon and defenseman Terry Harper.

The only unanimous choices were Vachon and Orr, each collecting the maximum of 135 points.

Eight other players will be selected by Coach Bep Guidolin of the Kansas City Scouts. He got the job because he led Boston to the East Division title last season .

In choosing the remaining members of his 20-man squad that will face a team from Divisions 1 and 2, Guidolin must select at least one player from each of the five others teams comprising Divisions 3 and 4. They are Pittsburgh, Detroit, Washington, Toronto and California.

The closest balloting was at center, wtere Esposito, seeking his fifth consecutive NHL scoring title, edged Perreault, 107 points to 103.

Lafleur was tops at right wing, receiving 116 points to Robert's 90. Martin was the leading vote-getter at left wing, earning 131 points to Bucyk's 47.

Behind Orr in the voting among defensemen were Lapointe with 111, Harper with 56 and Vadnais with 51.

Bucyk is the veteran among the All-Stars. This will be his eighth mid-season game. The only player on the squad making his All-Star debut will be Lafleur.

Bucks win again

By The Associated Press

Here come the speeding Milwaukee Bucks ... and there go the backtracking Philadelphia 76ers ... again.

The Bucks, after a disastrous 1-13 start this season, mainly attributable to the absence of center Kareem Abdul-Jabbar because of injuries, won their 17th game in their last 24 starts, beating the Detroit Pistons 102-92 Wednesday night.

Although the Bucks, now 18-20, still are in last place in the Midwest Division of the National Basketball Association, the victory pulled them with three games of first-place Detroit.

Meanwhile, Philadelphia continued its losing ways in its long-time series against Los Angeles. The Lakers beat the 76ers 106-98 at Philadelphia for their 15th straight victory over them since 1971. The 76ers have not beaten Los Angeles in Philadelphia since 1969.

In other NBA games, the Boston Celtics downed the Atlanta Hawks 104-96, the Washington Bullets whipped the Phoenix Suns 102-95 and the New York Knicks beat the Seattle SuperSonics 113-102.

Milwaukee surprised Detroit with its fast-breaking attack, led by Bob Dandridge's 32 points, Abdul-Jabbar's 23, rookie Gary Brokaw's 22 and Jim Price's 20 in snapping the Pistons' six-game winning streak.

Brokaw, who came off the bench, and Dandridge combined for 30 points in the second period when the Bucks outscored the Pistons 35-17 and raced into a commanding 53-39 halftime lead.

Dave Bing paced the Pistons with 28 points, raising his career total to 14,541, putting him 19th on the NBA's all-time list, ahead of former Boston star Bill Russell.

Lakers 106, 76ers 98

Gail Goodrich pumped in 10 of his 34 points in the last five minutes, sparking the Lakers' victory over Philadelphia in a game in which the lead changed hands 21 times.

Celtics 104, Hawks 96

Paul Westphal came off the bench and scored 23 points, sparking the Atlantic Division-leading Celtics to their eighth victory in the last nine games.

Bullets 102, Suns 95

Mike Riordan's 31 points, Elvin Hayes' 27 and Phil Chenier's 26 helped the Bullets, Central Division leaders, break a three-game losing streak and hand the Suns their fifth straight setback.

Knicks 113, SuperSonics 102

Earl Monroe's season-high 38 points, including 24 in the second half, enabled the Knicks to extend their mastery over Seattle. The victory was New York's 13th in a row over the SuperSonics.

SCOREBOARD

By The Associated Press

NBA

Eastern Conference

Atlantic Division

	W	L	Pct.	GB
Boston	24	13	.649	—
Buffalo	24	15	.615	1
New York	22	16	.579	2½
Philadelphia	16	23	.410	9

Central Division

Capital	27	12	.692	—
Cleveland	20	16	.556	5½
Houston	20	18	.526	6½
Atlanta	17	24	.415	11
New Orleans	3	34	.081	23

Western Conference

Midwest Division

Detroit	22	18	.550	—
Chicago	20	18	.526	1
K.C.-Omaha	21	22	.488	2½
Milwaukee	18	20	.474	3

Pacific Division

Golden St.	25	12	.676	—
Seattle	19	20	.487	7
Portland	17	21	.447	8½
Los Angeles	17	23	.425	9½
Phoenix	15	22	.405	10

Wednesday's Results

Boston 104, Atlanta 96

Los Angeles 106, Philadelphia 98

Milwaukee 102, Detroit 92

Washington 102, Phoenix 95

New York 113, Seattle 102

Thursday's Games

Washington at Houston

Boston vs. Buffalo at Toronto

New York at Golden State

Sport shorts

ST. LOUIS (AP) — Two running backs, Don Woods of the San Diego Chargers and Wilbur Jackson of the San Francisco 49ers, have been named National Football League Rookies of the Year by the Sporting News.

Results of voting by correspondents for the weekly publication from each NFL city were announced Tuesday.

Woods, who rushed for 1,162 yards on 227 carries last fall, was named the top rookie in the American Conference. Jackson, who ran for 705 yards on 175 carries for the 49ers, topped voting in the National Conference.

NEWPORT, R.I. (AP) — The Newport City Council voted on Wednesday to sell 5.7 acres of land to a jai alai promoter for $57,500.

Arthur W. Silvester, owner of the Tourism and Development Corp., which has a license for jai alai gambling, agreed to the purchase price.

Silvester has said he will build a fronton which he hopes will be open later this year.

BOSTON (AP) — Bad habits are hard to break, as Northeastern's hockey team is finding out.

The Huskies took a brief 1-0 lead Wednesday night before dropping an 8-2 decision to Boston University. It was Northeastern's 33rd straight defeat at the hands of the Terriers.

Peter Marzo led the BU attack with three goals.

BOSTON (AP) — Defenseman Bobby Orr and right winger Bobby Schamutz, both nursing strained neck muscles, may miss tonight's National Hockey League game at Boston Garden when the Boston Bruins host the Vancouver Canucks.

Orr missed half the game in Washington Tuesday night when the lowly Capitals tied the Bruins 3-3.

Kenny Broderick, who did not appear in Boston's first 36 games, but then won the next two, will be in the nets. Gary Smith will mind goal for the Canucks.

ATLANTA (AP) — Infielder Dave Johnson, whose home run production fell from 43 in 1973 to 15 last season, has signed his 1975 contract with the Atlanta Braves, the National League baseball team has announced.

Johnson had 62 runs batted in last season compared to 99 in 1973.

Left-handed pitcher Don Collins also signed Wednesday, and another hurler, Lew Krausse, was released. Krausse had a 4-3 record last year.

In addition, former Cleveland Indians' pitcher Bob Lemon was signed as a special assignments scout.

Area schedule

FRIDAY

Basketball

Hall at Dixon
Rockford Lutheran at Ashton
Orangeville at Franklin Center
Amboy at Hononegah
Bradford at Walnut
Malta at Paw Paw
Forreston at Stillman Valley
Pecatonica at Oregon
Mt. Morris at Polo
DeWitt at Newman

Wrestling

Morrison at Amboy

SATURDAY

Basketball

Rock Falls at Dixon
Franklin Center at Leaf River
Amboy at Shabbona
Ohio at Malden
Forreston at Pecatonica
Oregon at Mt. Morris
Polo at Winnebago
Newman at Riverdale
Dixon frosh at Rockford Tournament
Rock Valley at Sauk Valley

Wrestling

Ottawa and Boylan at Dixon
Polo Invitational

MONDAY

Basketball

Dixon frosh at Sterling

Wrestling

Newman at Dixon

TUESDAY

Basketball

Ashton at Malta
Walnut at Wyanet
Leland at Ohio
Sauk Valley at Highland

Bowling

LaSalle-Peru at Dixon

Wrestling

Ashton at Erie

BOWLING

ERO	W	L
Cold Bears	43½	28½
Misfits	42	30
Late Comers	41	31
Cut Ups	39½	32½
Great Pretenders	38½	33½
New Ones	38	34
Modockers	37½	34½
Born Losers	37	35
Finger Refuse	37	35
Turkeys	36	36
Tijuana Smalls	35	37
5 Pennies	34	38
The Cools	32	40
Stoney Point	31	41
Yellow Birds	29	43
Do Bees	25	47

High game, J. Manno 216; high series, F. King 551.

7PER'S	W	L
Panners	24½	11½
Strikers	24½	11½
Lodestars	22	14
Nuggets	18½	17½
Silversmiths	16	20
Gold Diggers	14½	21½
Dusters	14	22
Shafters	10	26

High game, D. Swanson 220; high series, S. Hochstein 594.

SUNDAE	W	L
Hot Fudge	24	12
Marshmellow	24	12
Bananas	24	12
Peaches	22	14
Raspberries	21	15
Pineapples	20	16
Pecans	19	17
Butterscotch	19	17
Tutti Frutti	17	19
Strawberries	17	19
Maples	16	20
Blackberries	15	21
Chocolates	15	21
Blueberries	12	24
Coconuts	12	24
Peppermints	11	25

High game, R. Miller 215; high series, C. Bruce 588.

SUNDAY NITERS	W	L
Dir.-Leslie	148½	94½
Reed-Long	134½	108½
Paisley-Bracken	131	112
Smith-Dalton	121½	121½
Lutyens-Rugh	119	124
Giese Bosenellier	113½	129½
Baxter-Jobgen	106	137
Frits-Kasmerskie	98	145

High game, B. Leslie 235; high series, B. Leslie 629.

Bantam BOYS	W	L
Superstars	31	11
Wild Bunch	30	12
Hot Rods	29	13
Alley Cats	28	14
Golden Streakers	28	14
Fireballs	27	15
Strikers	25	17
Alley Lions	24	18
Cougars	23	19
Cannonballs	22	20
Eagles	22	20
Flying Tigers	22	20
Bombers	19	23
Blackhawks	17	25
Dixon 5	19	23
Lucky Rollers	13½	28½
Streakers	10	32
Wheelies	10	32

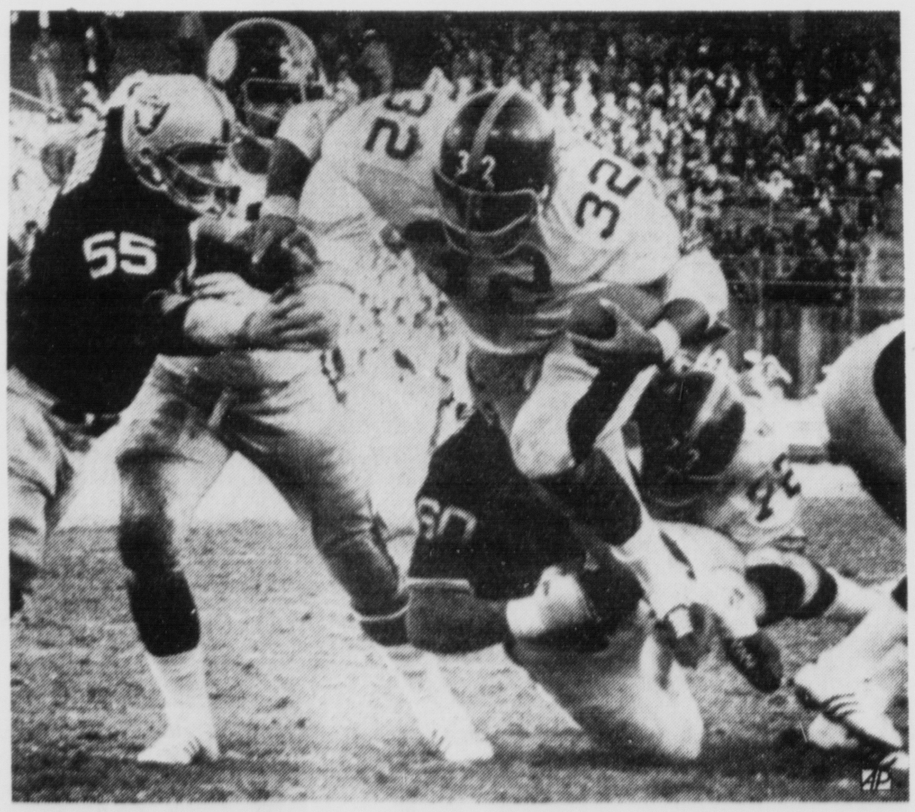
High game, C. Janssen 134, D. Horton 132, K. Mats 132, R. Kissee 128; high series, K. Moats 252, C. Janssen 244, D. Horton 237.

MAJORS	W	L
Ross Miller G.	54½	17½
E. Edelman & Co.	45	27
Vagabond Inn	43½	28½
Deluxe Cleaners	43	29
Moose Lodge	43	29
Bonnell Welding	42	30
Lincolnway Mat.	41	31
Marine Corps	35	37
Eller & Willey	34½	37½
AVCO F. Serv.	34	38
Rock River R. Mix	31½	40½
McKinnon Standard	31	41
Dixon Motors	29½	42½
H.W.I.	29½	42½
Dennis Dairy S.	21	51
Kippings	18	54

High game, H. Hoyle 213; high series, B. Fry 621.

MONDAY NITE LADIES	W	L
D. Camera Center	50½	21½
Plum Hollow	48½	23½
Raynors	45	27
WIXN	44½	27½
Happy Hanger	44	28
Dixon N. Bank	43½	28½
Hal Roberts	39½	33½
Borg Warner	39	33
Parkway	37½	34½
Deluxe Cleaners	36	36
621 Club	33	39
D. Publishing Co.	27	45
Claytons	23½	48½
City N. Bank	23	49
New Bridge Inn	22	50
P&W Supply	19½	52½

High game, J. Kaecker 235; high series, J. Kaecker 566.



Franco flies for touchdown

Franco Harris (32) goes through the Oakland Raiders line and into the end zone for Pittsburgh Steelers touchdown in second half of AFC championship in Oakland, Calif. Oakland defenders are Dan Conners (55) and Otis Sistrunk (60). Pittsburgh won 24-13 and will meet the Minnesota Vikings in the Super Bowl. (AP Wirephoto)

Wrestling

ASHTON — The Ashton Aces upped their season record to 4-7 with a 43-9 victory over Serena, here, Wednesday night. Paul Snyder, Gary Kofoid and Nolan Henert collected pins for the Aces while Steve Heng, Bob Richardson, Gary Miller, Don Kennay, Andy McCannon and Keith Miller got decisions. Ashton now goes to the Polo Invitational on Saturday.

Ashton 43, Serena 9

98— Paul Snyder (A) pinned McLennan 2:51

105— Gary Kofoid (A) pinned Beardsley 2:59

112— Curt Dusing (A) by forfeit

119— Steve Heng (A) dec. Walsh 10-4

126— Rob Richardson (A) dec. JAmeson 6-2

132— Gary Miller (A) dec. Slazer 3-1

138— Don Kennay (A) dec. Nelson 14-5

145— Nolan Henert (A) pinned Brannan 3:31

155— Andy McCannon (A) dec. Yoesle 12-1

167— Rabe (S) dec. Eich 6-2

185— Gale (S) by forfeit

HWT— Keith Miller (A) dec. Coppes 12-3

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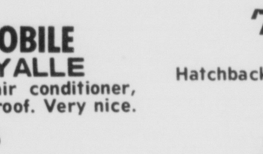

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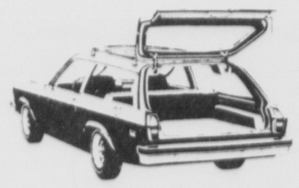

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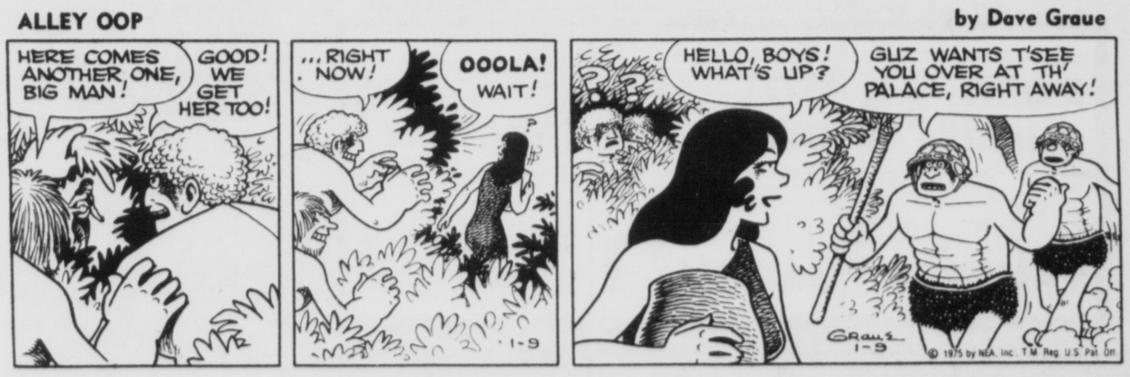

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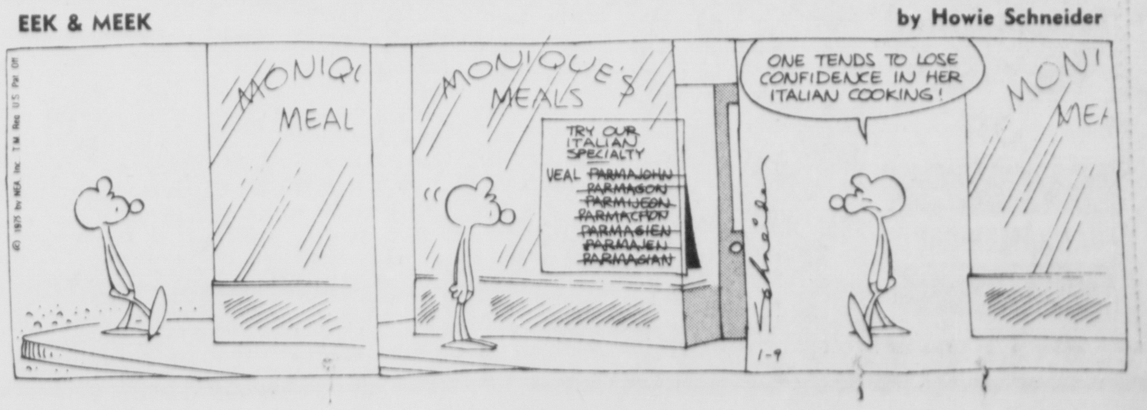

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